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THE HEDGEHOG

THE TEAM-UP
NO ONE GUESSED:
SONIC AND EGGMAN?!



SPAZ

THE STORY SO FAR...

WELCOME TO PLANET MOBIUS--A WORLD UNIQUE & BEYOND WHAT YOU KNOW FROM THE SEGA GAMES!

WHERE SONIC AND THE HEROIC FREEDOM FIGHTERS WORK TO SAVE THE WORLD FROM THE FORCES OF EVIL!

DOCTOR EGGMAN LOST HIS MARBLES WHEN SONIC DEFEATED HIM IN THEIR LAST BATTLE. THE IRON QUEEN AND HER FORCES TOOK OVER THE EGGMAN EMPIRE AND LOCKED THE MADMAN AWAY. UNTIL NOW...

... must do away with Kodos ... no, Crabmeat, that's my cookie ... more ore for the Ultimate Annihilator ... hate that hedgehog ... CELL BLOCK OVERRIDE AUTHORITY EPSILON-GAMMA-GAMMA... want to ride the pasha... tastes like clucky ...

KER
CLACK!

On The RUN Part One: All the Eggs in One Basket



SNIVELY ROBOTNIK
Eggman's Nephew



DR. IVO "EGGMAN"
ROBOTNIK
Mad Scientist



SONIC THE HEDGEHOG
Hero of Mobius



REGINA FERRUM
The Iron Queen

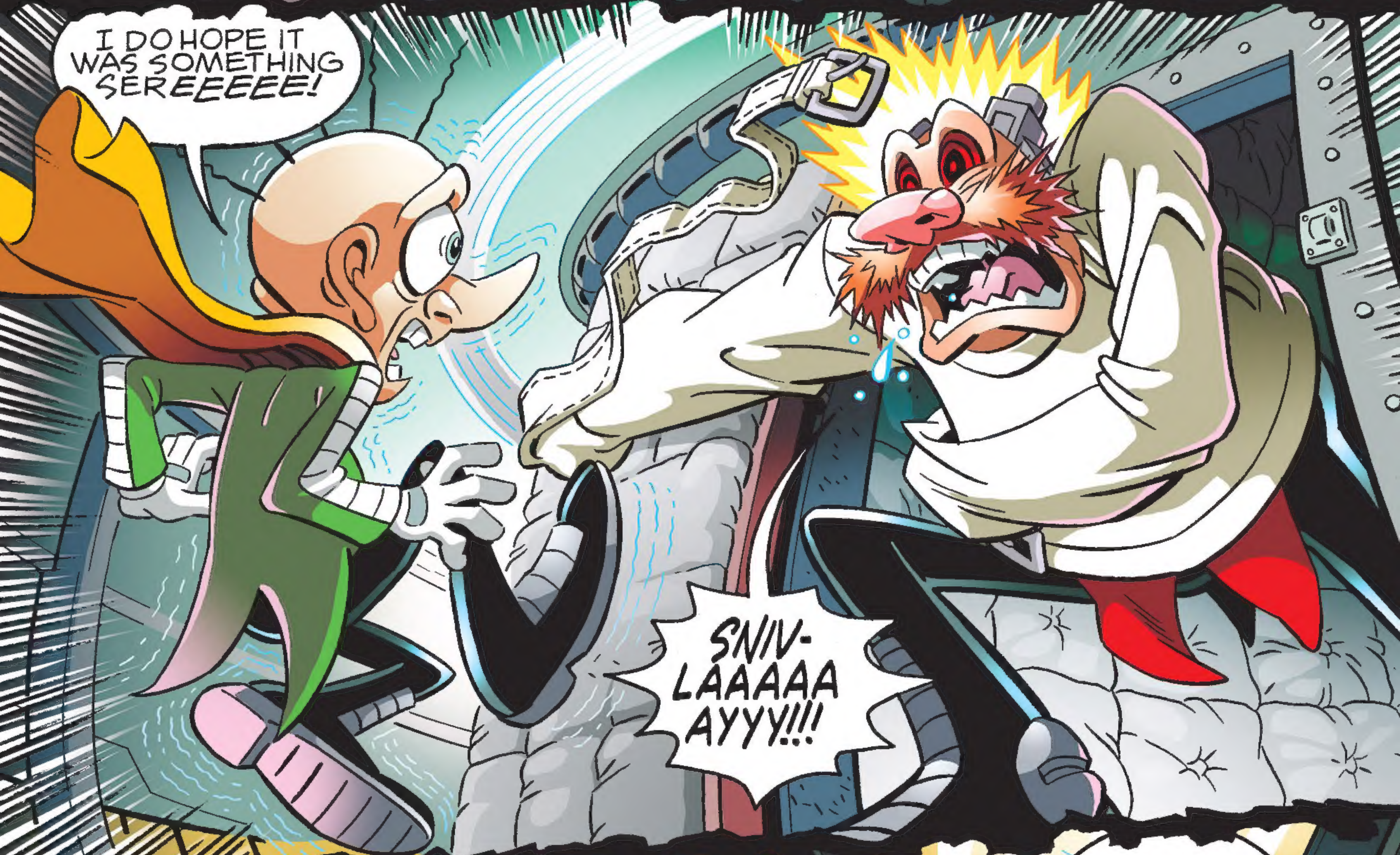


CONQUERING STORM
Bride of the Rajju Clan

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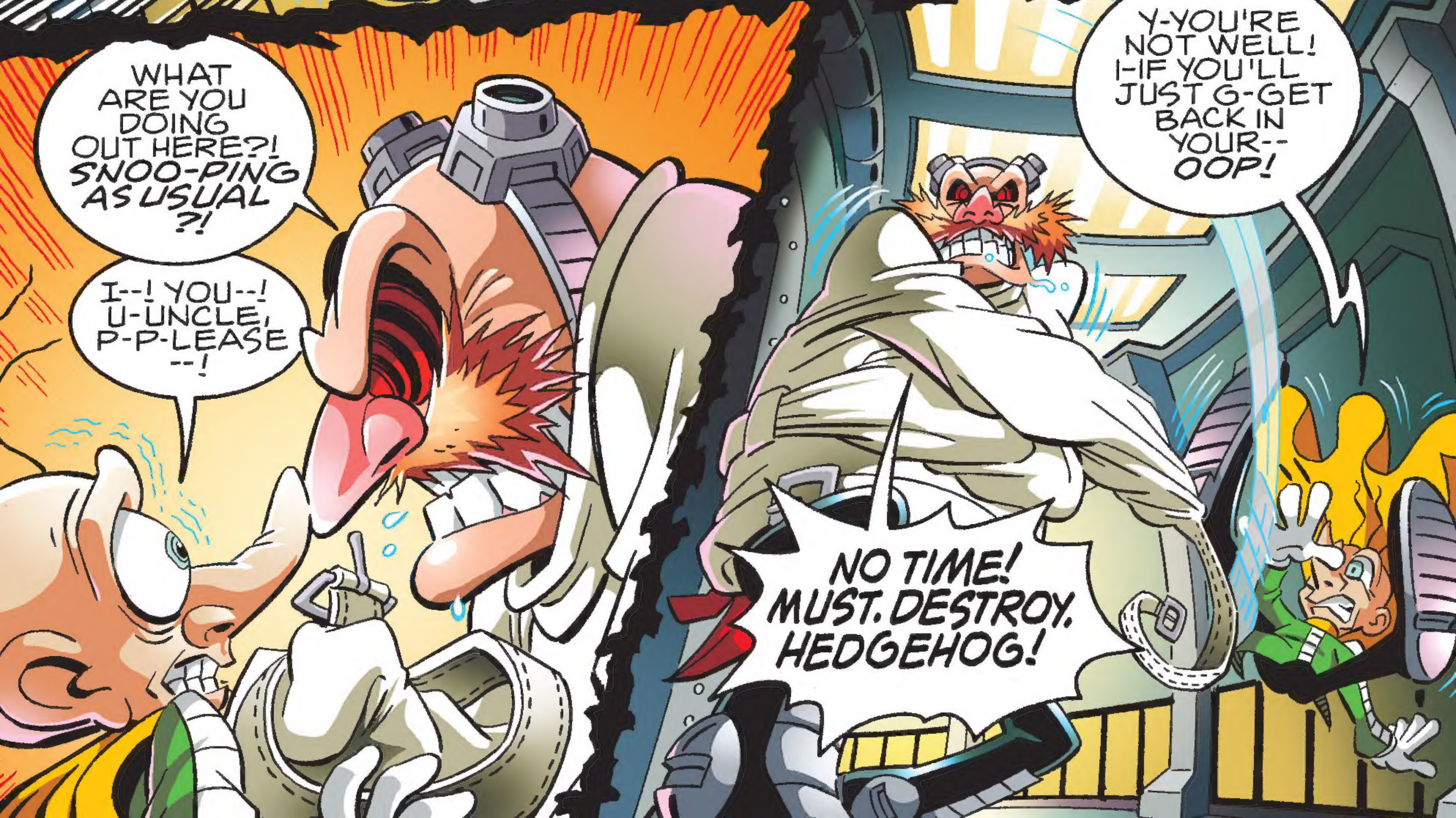


WHAT WAS THAT SOUND? DID YOU MANAGE TO BREAK SOMETHING, UNCLE?



I DO HOPE IT WAS SOMETHING SEREEEEEE!

SNIV-LAAAAA
AYYY!!!



WHAT ARE YOU DOING OUT HERE?! SNOO-PING AS USUAL?!

I--! YOU--!
U-UNCLE,
P-P-LEASE
--!

Y-YOU'RE NOT WELL!
I-IF YOU'LL JUST G-GET BACK IN YOUR--
OOP!

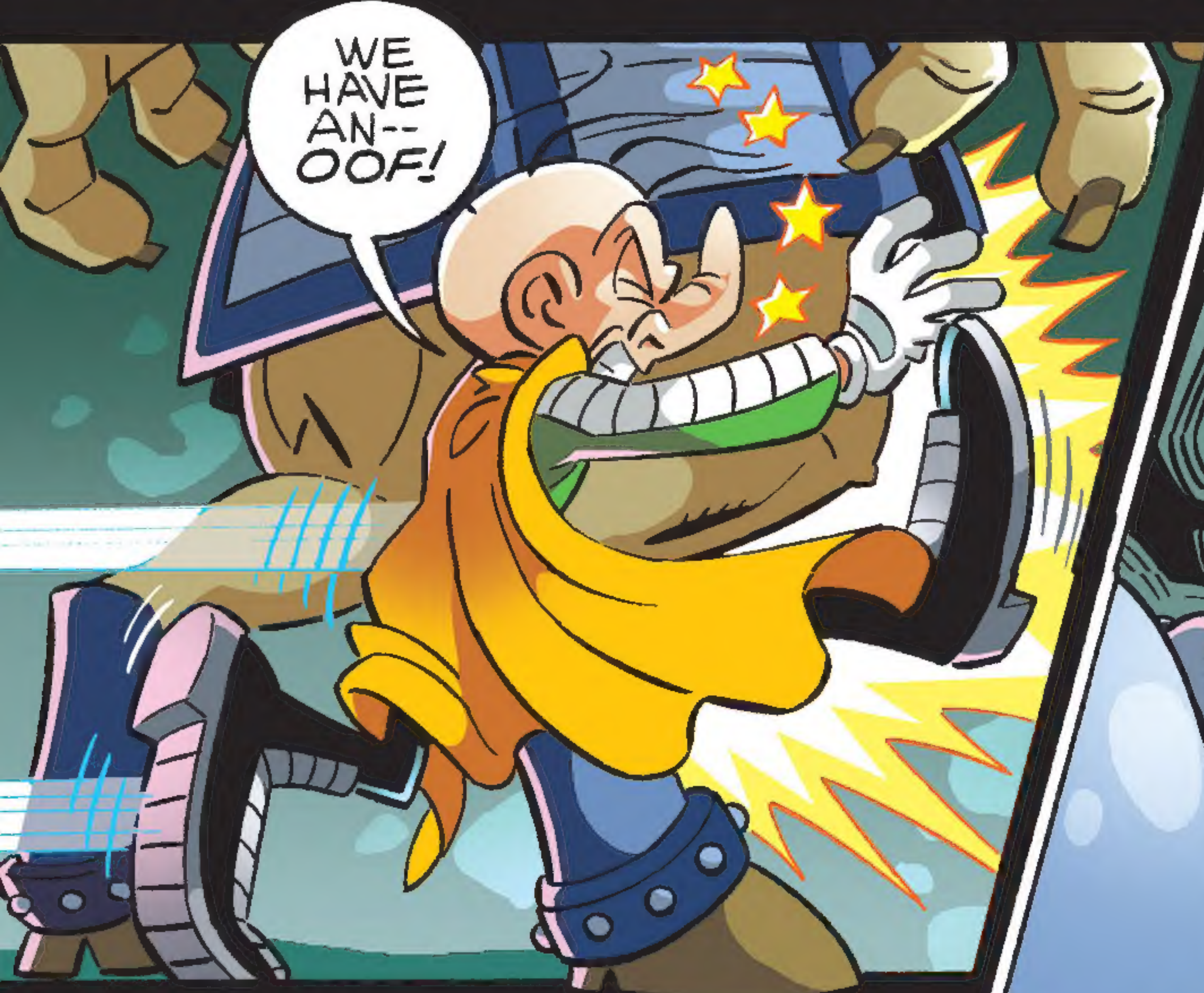
NO TIME!
MUST DESTROY
HEDGEHOG!



HOW THE BLAZES DID HE MANAGE TO GET OUT?

VOICE COMMAND: OPEN CHANNEL TO ALL FORCES!

ALL DARK LEGION AND YAGYU NINJA REPORT TO THE DETENTION LEVEL IMMEDIATELY!



WE HAVE AN-- OOF!



WATCH WHERE YOU ARE GOING, RUNT. WHAT IS WRONG?



ROBOTNIK'S ESCAPED!

WHAT?! YOU DARE BETRAY ME?!

NO! I DON'T KNOW HOW HE GOT OUT! BUT IF WE HURRY, WE CAN CATCH HIM BEFORE --

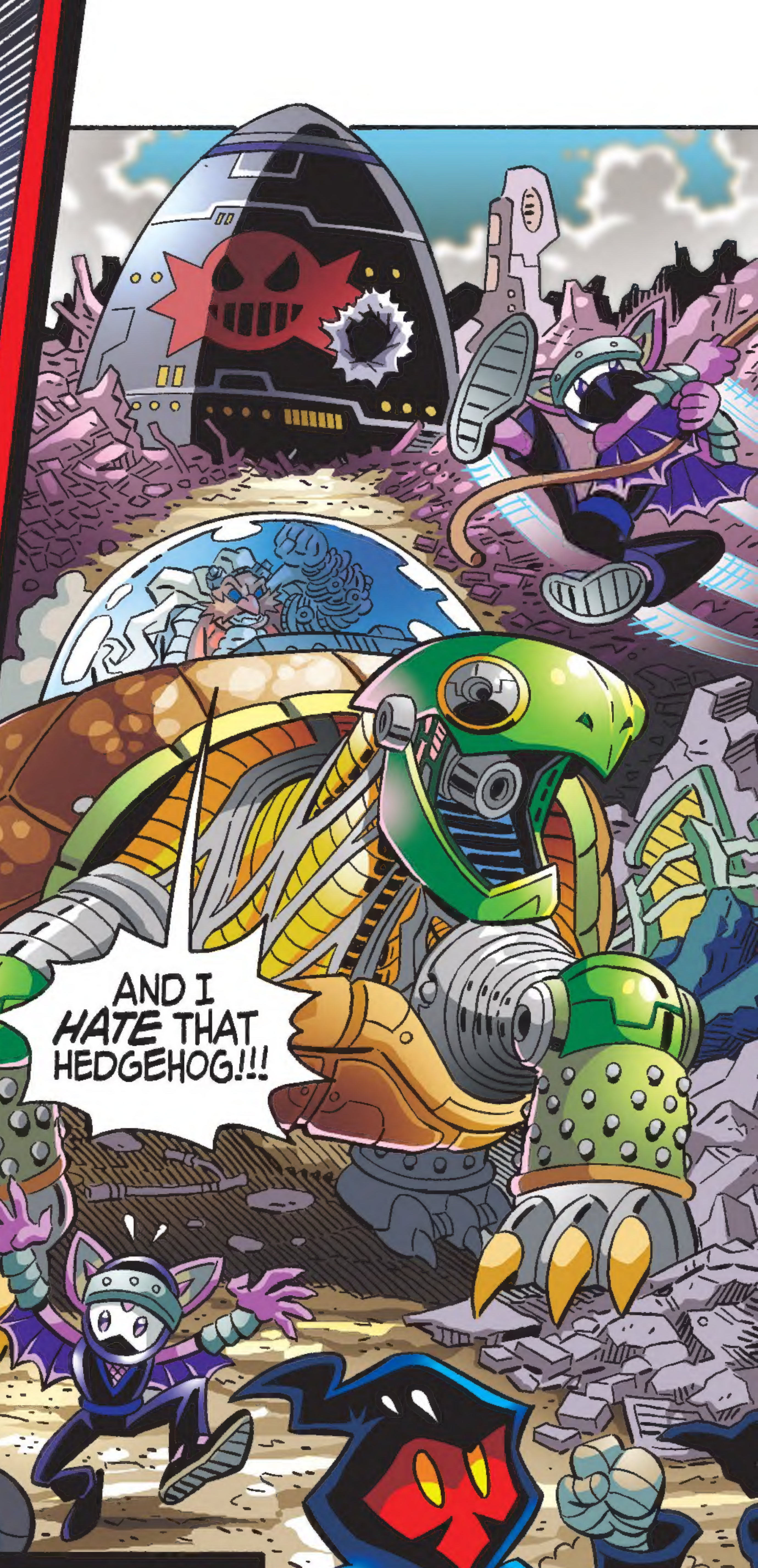


THOOM!

--HE ESCAPES.



I AM WARLORD-DOCTOR JULIAN IVO EGGMAN ROBO-KINTOBOR MACH TWO! MY RULE IS LAW, AND THE LAW IS MY WILL!

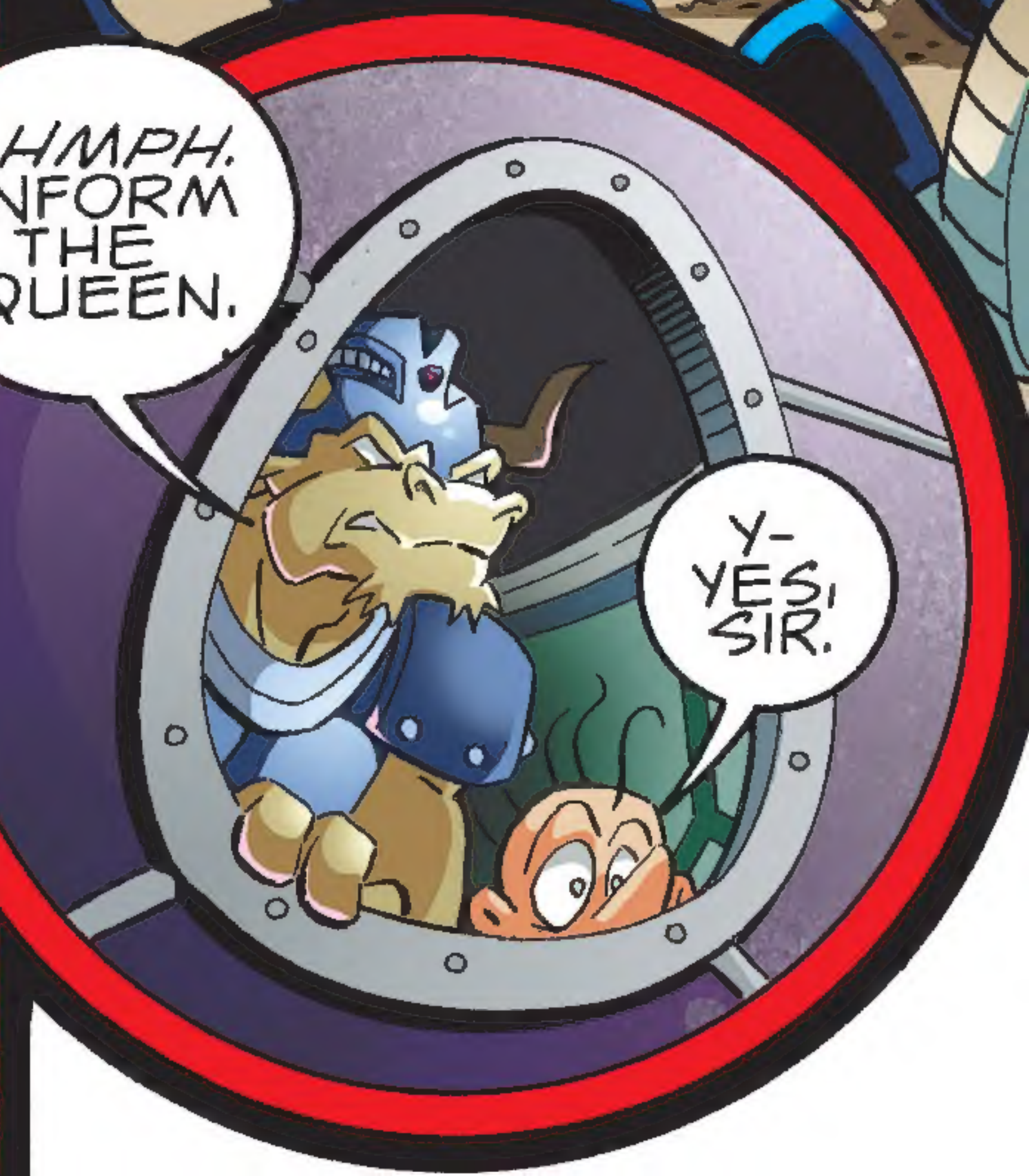


AND I HATE THAT HEDGEHOG!!!

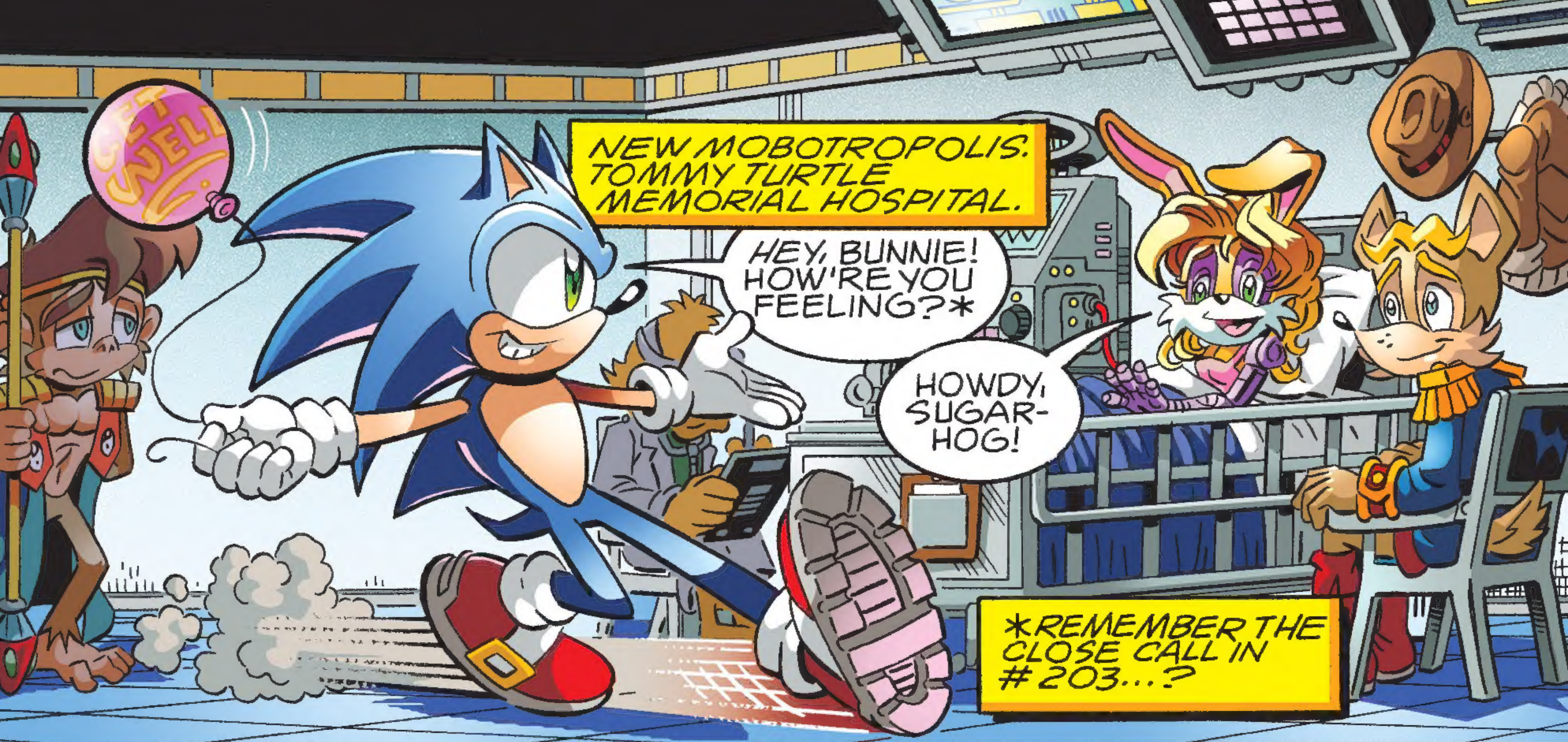


I WILL DESTROY THE BLUE ONE, YOU KNOW! HE'S THE OBSTACLE THAT ALWAYS GETS IN MY WAY!

HMPH. INFORM THE QUEEN.



Y-YES, SIR.



NEW MOBOTROPOLIS.
TOMMY TURTLE
MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.

HEY, BUNNIE!
HOW'RE YOU
FEELING?*

HOWDY,
SUGAR-
HOG!

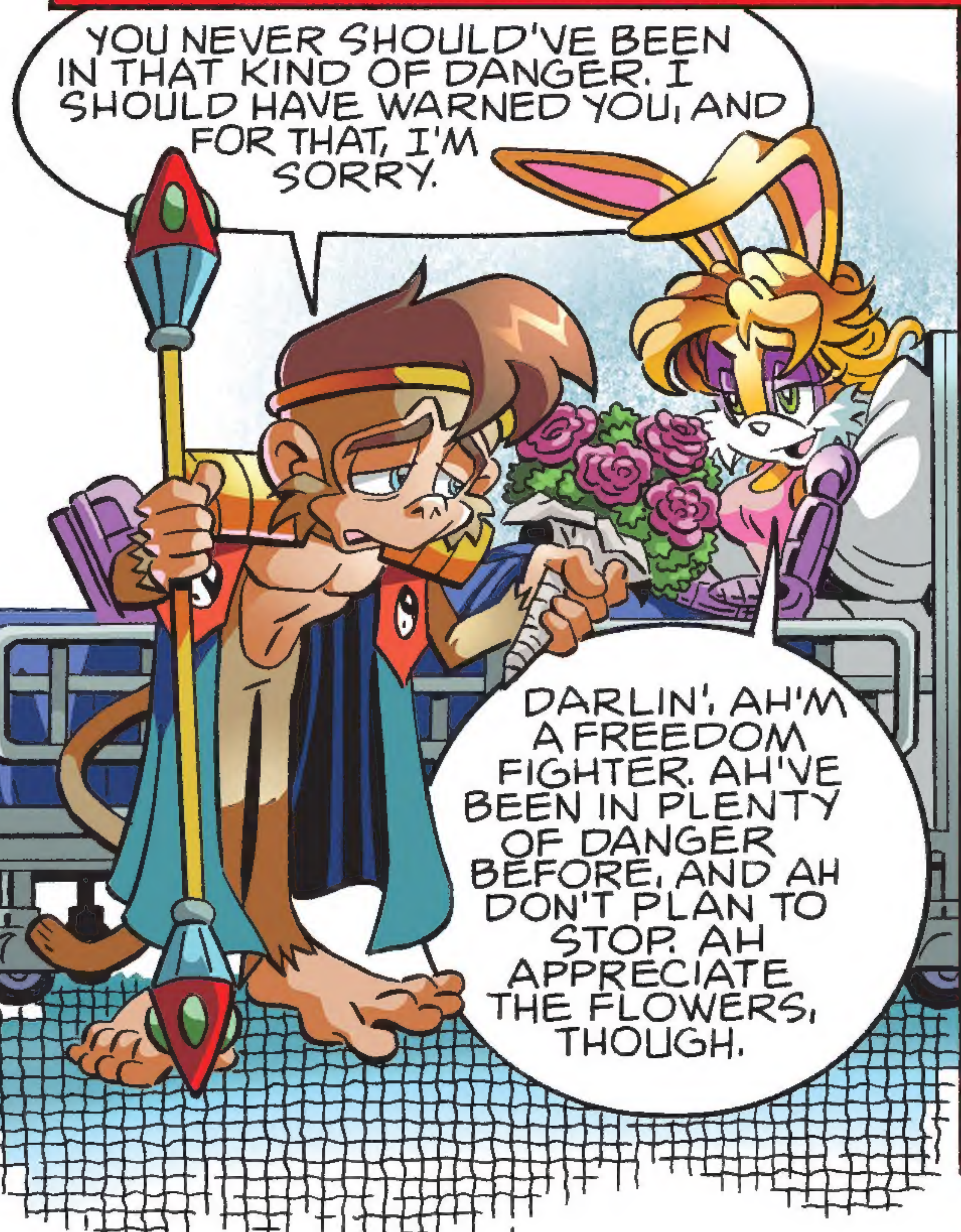
*REMEMBER THE
CLOSE CALL IN
203...?



AH'M DOIN' JUST FINE.
AH JUST NEEDED A BIT
OF REST, S'ALL.

AND AN EMERGENCY INFLUX
OF ELECTROLYTES AND CONSTANT
SUPERVISION THROUGH THE
NIGHT...

...BUT IF YOU
WANT TO CALL
THAT "REST"...



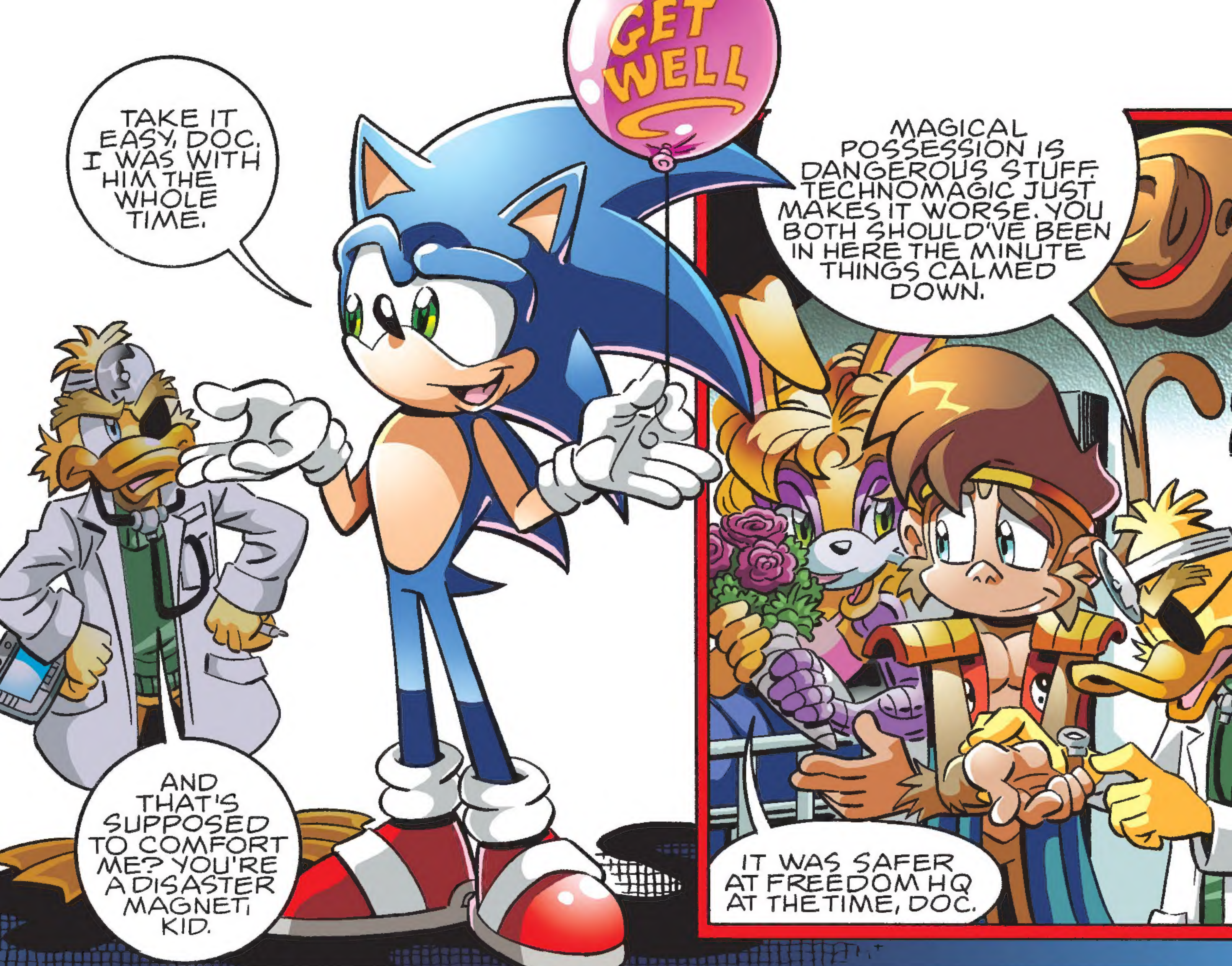
YOU NEVER SHOULD'VE BEEN
IN THAT KIND OF DANGER. I
SHOULD HAVE WARNED YOU, AND
FOR THAT, I'M
SORRY.

DARLIN', AH'M
A FREEDOM
FIGHTER. AH'VE
BEEN IN PLENTY
OF DANGER
BEFORE, AND AH
DON'T PLAN TO
STOP. AH
APPRECIATE
THE FLOWERS,
THOUGH.



THEY'RE QUITE NICE.
YOU DIDN'T LEAVE
YOUR OWN BED TO
GET THEM AND DO
EXACTLY WHAT I
TOLD YOU NOT TO
DO, HMM?

WELL...



TAKE IT EASY, DOC. I WAS WITH HIM THE WHOLE TIME.

MAGICAL POSSESSION IS DANGEROUS STUFF. TECHNOMAGIC JUST MAKES IT WORSE. YOU BOTH SHOULD'VE BEEN IN HERE THE MINUTE THINGS CALMED DOWN.

AND THAT'S SUPPOSED TO COMFORT ME? YOU'RE A DISASTER MAGNET, KID.

IT WAS SAFER AT FREEDOM HQ AT THE TIME, DOC.

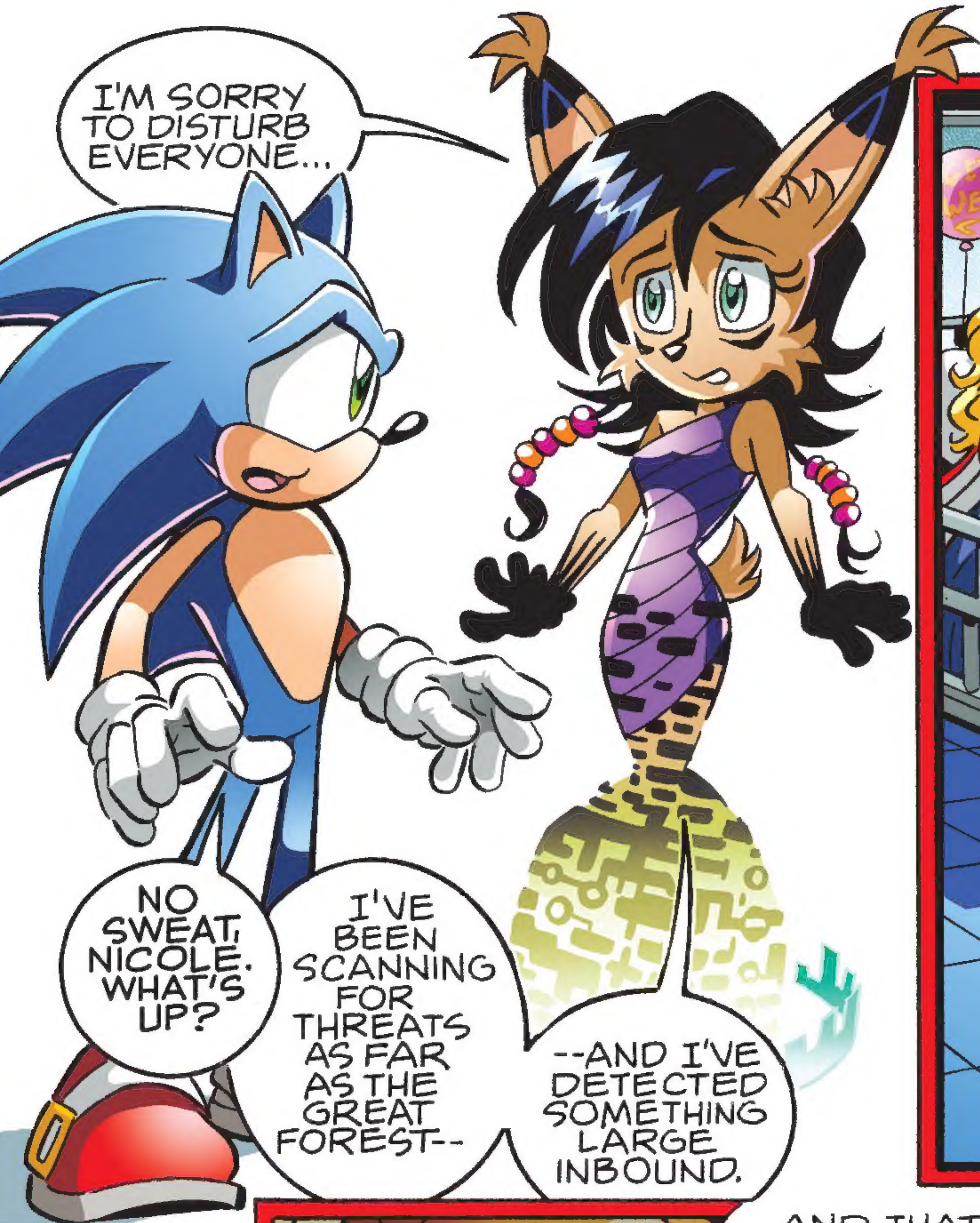
AND I GOT HER BACK HERE THE SECOND THINGS CLEARED UP. LITERALLY!

I GIVE UP.

AH MEAN IT NOW, SUGAH. DON'T BEAT YERSELF UP OVER THIS. WE ALL MAKE MISTAKES, AND AH FORGIVE YOU.

OUI, I AM HAVING FORGIVEN YOU AS WELL.

THANK YOU. I DON'T DESERVE IT, BUT THANK YOU.

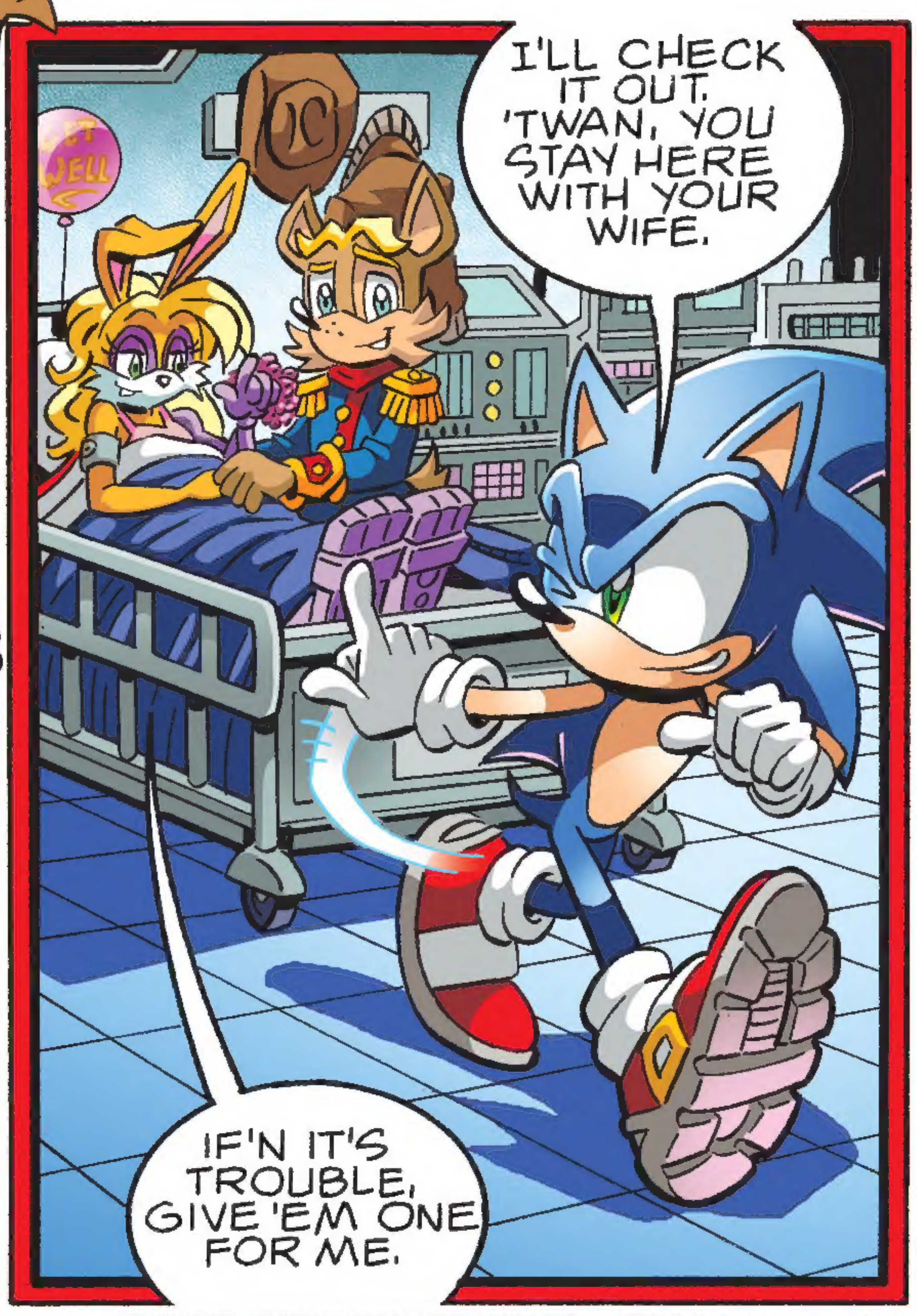


I'M SORRY TO DISTURB EVERYONE...

NO SWEAT, NICOLE. WHAT'S UP?

I'VE BEEN SCANNING FOR THREATS AS FAR AS THE GREAT FOREST--

--AND I'VE DETECTED SOMETHING LARGE INBOUND.



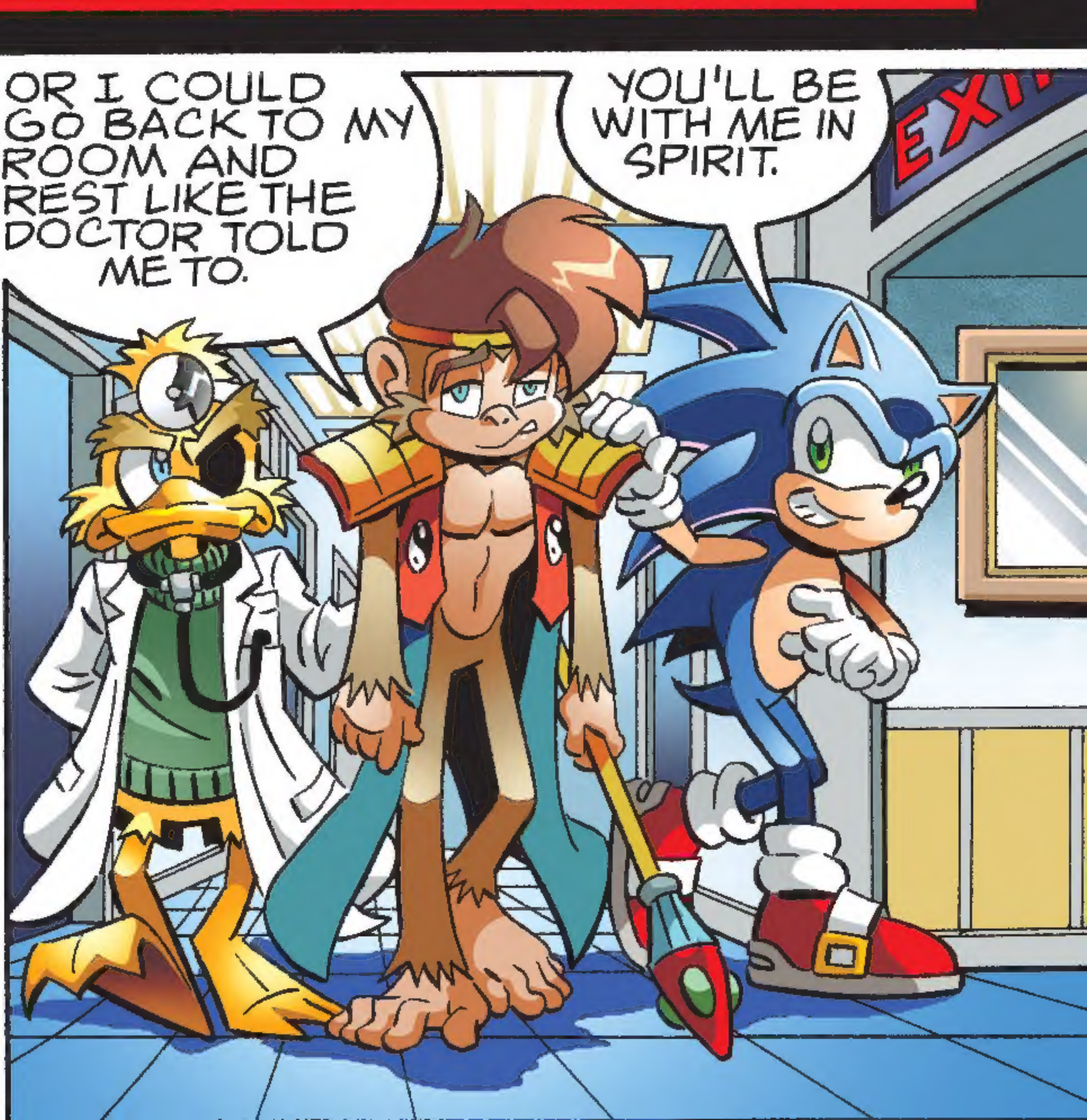
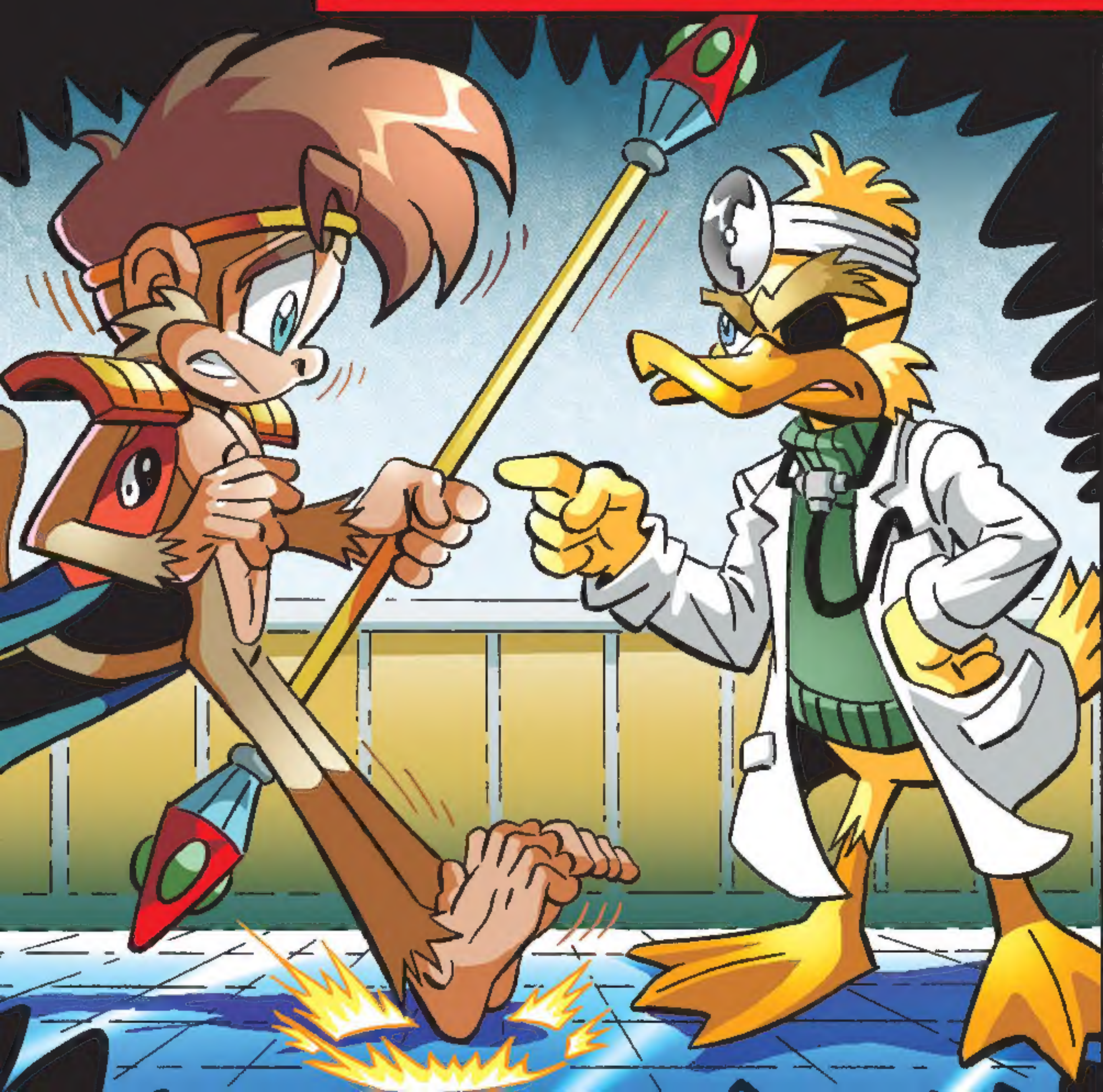
I'LL CHECK IT OUT. 'TWAN, YOU STAY HERE WITH YOUR WIFE.

IF IN IT'S TROUBLE, GIVE 'EM ONE FOR ME.



AND THAT GOES DOUBLE FOR YOU, MISTER.

IT WILL BE MY PLEASURE.

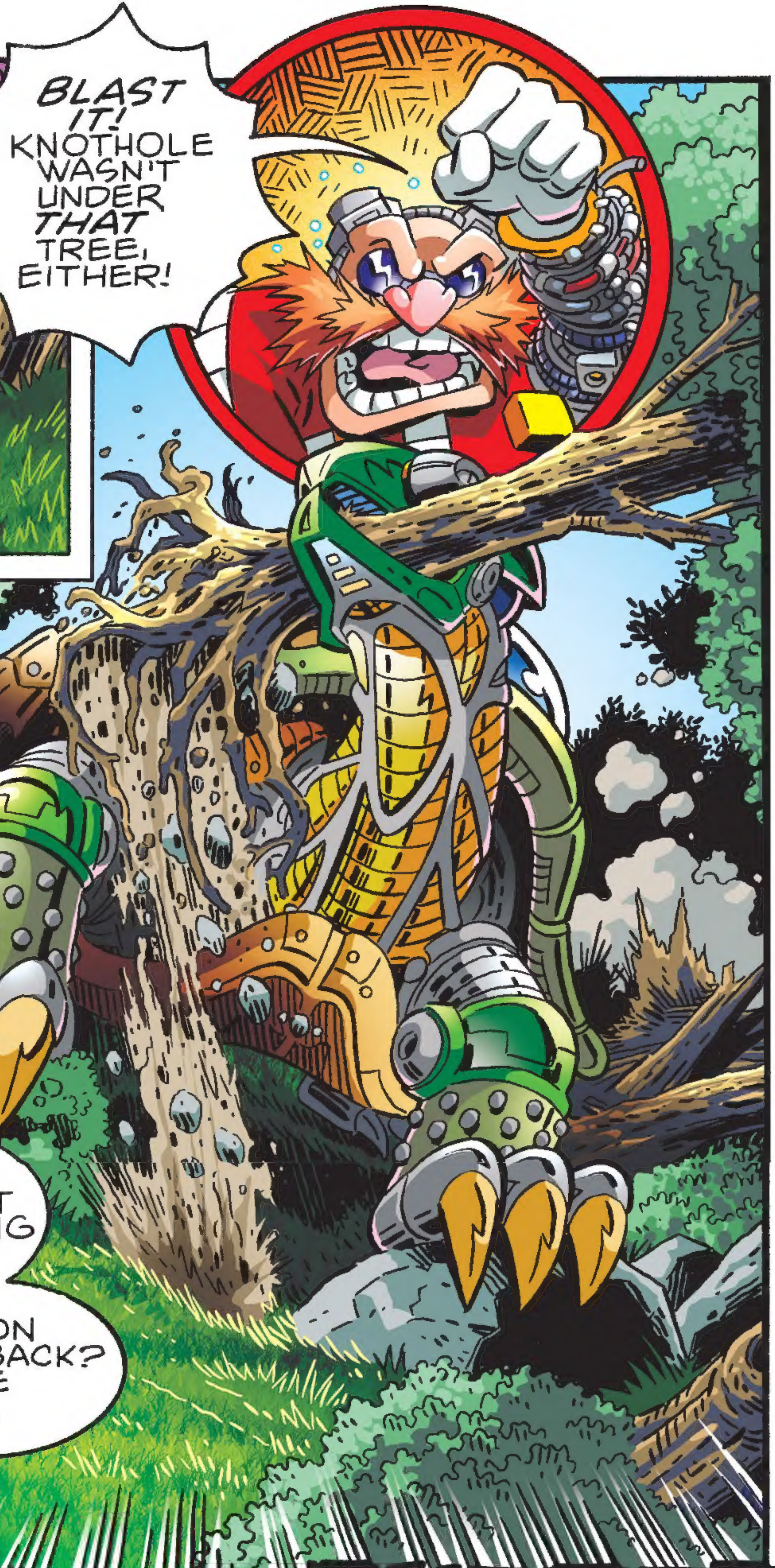


OR I COULD GO BACK TO MY ROOM AND REST LIKE THE DOCTOR TOLD ME TO.

YOU'LL BE WITH ME IN SPIRIT.



I DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE THROWING AT ME NOW, IRON CREEPS, BUT YOU'VE EARNED AN EXTRA HELPING OF PAYBACK FOR WHAT YOU DID TO BUNNIE.



BLAST IT!
KNOTHOLE WASN'T UNDER THAT TREE, EITHER!



!!!



OKAY... I WASN'T EXPECTING THIS.

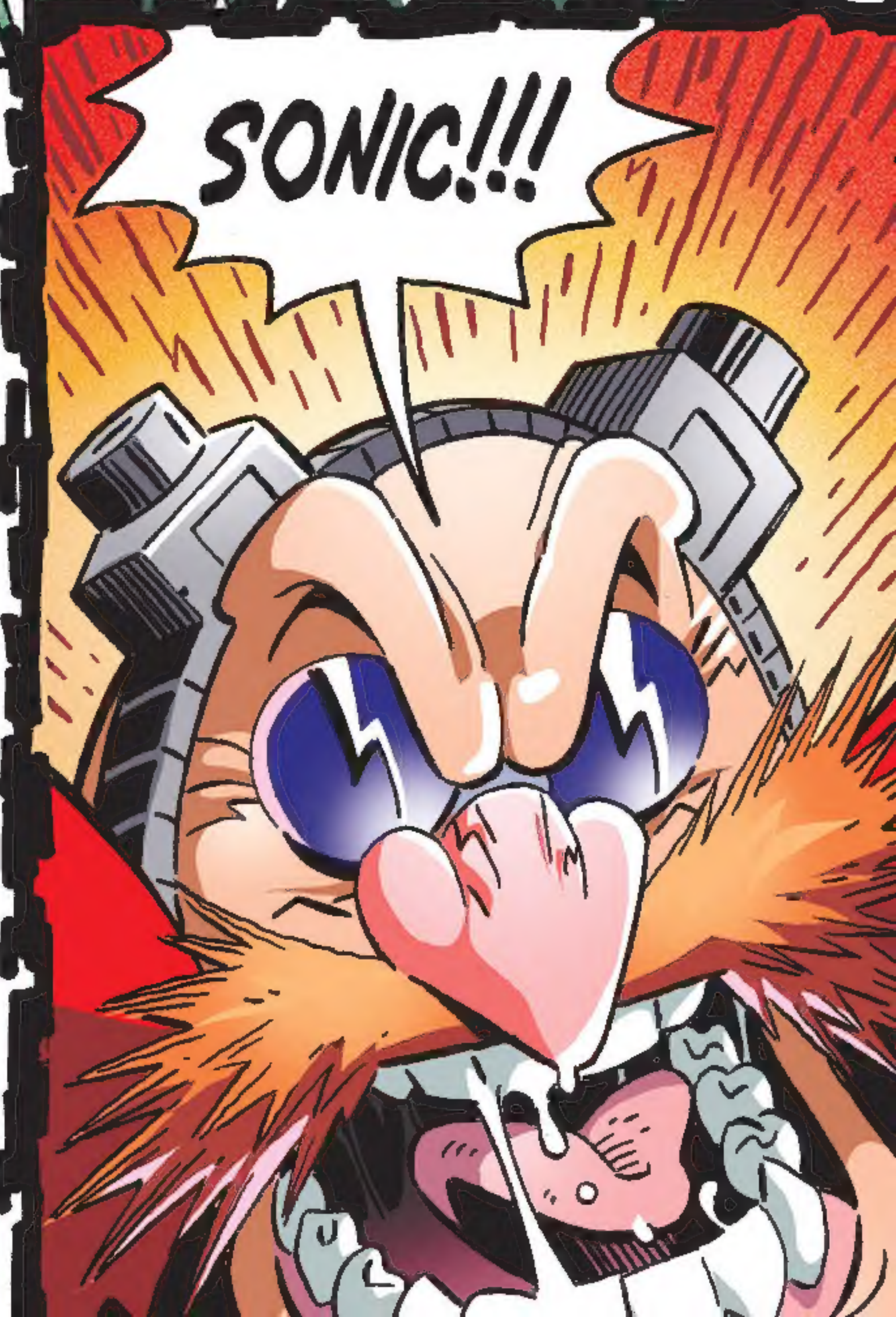
QUESTION IS... IS HE BACK? OR IS HE STILL...



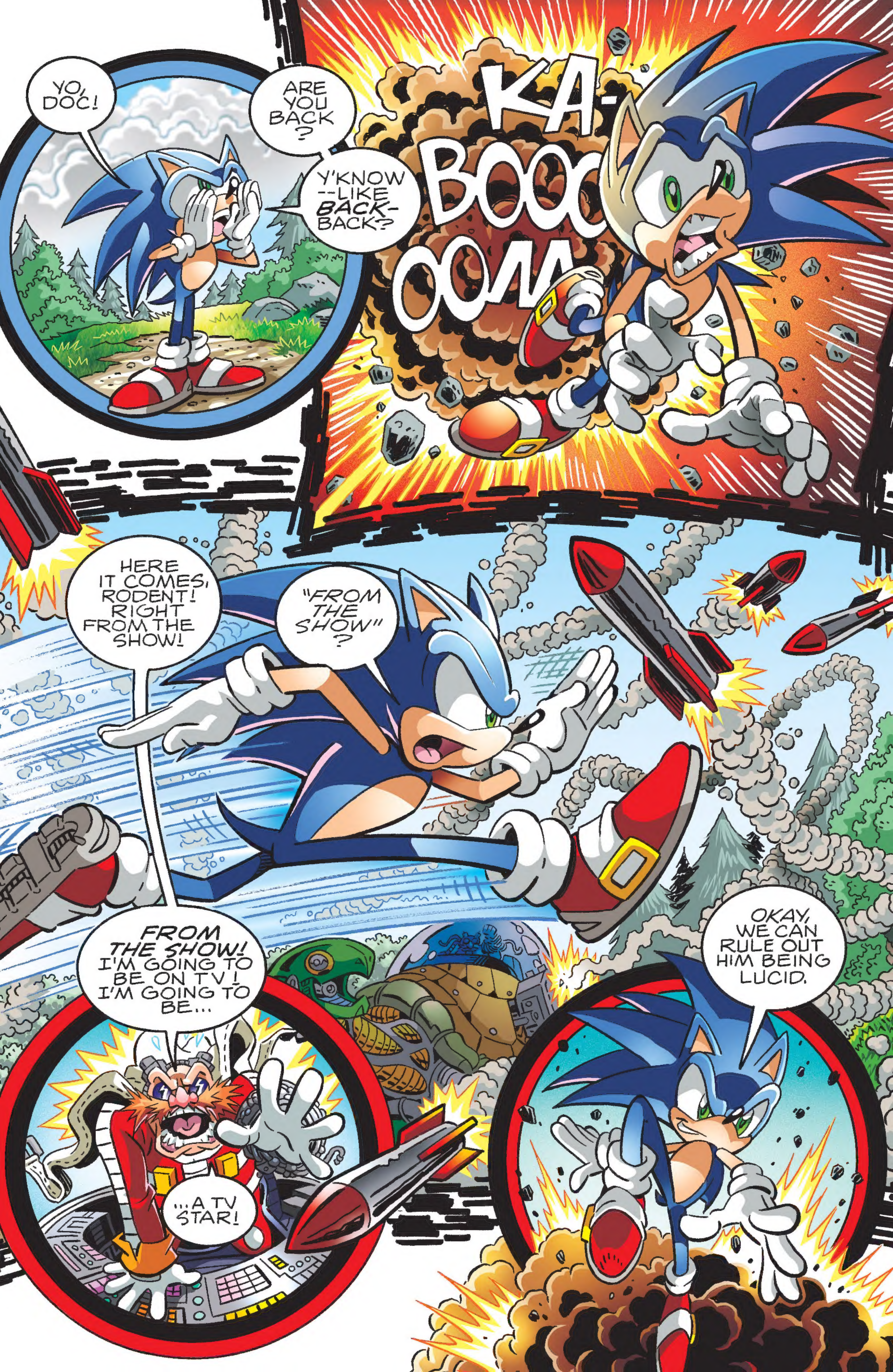
AH! A MOBIAN! THEY CAN TELL ME WHERE TO FIND...



...WAIT... I RECOGNIZE THAT ONE... IT'S... IT'S...



SONIC!!!



YO, DOC!

ARE YOU BACK?

Y'KNOW -- LIKE BACK-BACK?

KA-BOOOO

HERE IT COMES, RODENT! RIGHT FROM THE SHOW!

"FROM THE SHOW"?

FROM THE SHOW! I'M GOING TO BE ON TV! I'M GOING TO BE...

...A TV STAR!

OKAY, WE CAN RULE OUT HIM BEING LUCID.

NEW MEGAOPOLIS
EGGDOME--THRONE
ROOM...

YAGYU--
TO THE
SAUCERS!

LEGION-
NAIRES TO
DEFENSIVE
BATTLE
STATIONS,

PREPARE
MY FLYING
POD!

A
THOUSAND
PARDONS,
BRIDE OF
THE FOUR
HOUSES.

CAN'T
YOU
SEE
I'M
BUSY
?!

I CAN,
BUT I HAVE
RECEIVED
WORD THAT
ESPIO FAILED
HIS MISSION*...
AND HAS BEEN
RECALLED TO
THE SHINOBI
CLAN.

BLAST
IT ALL.

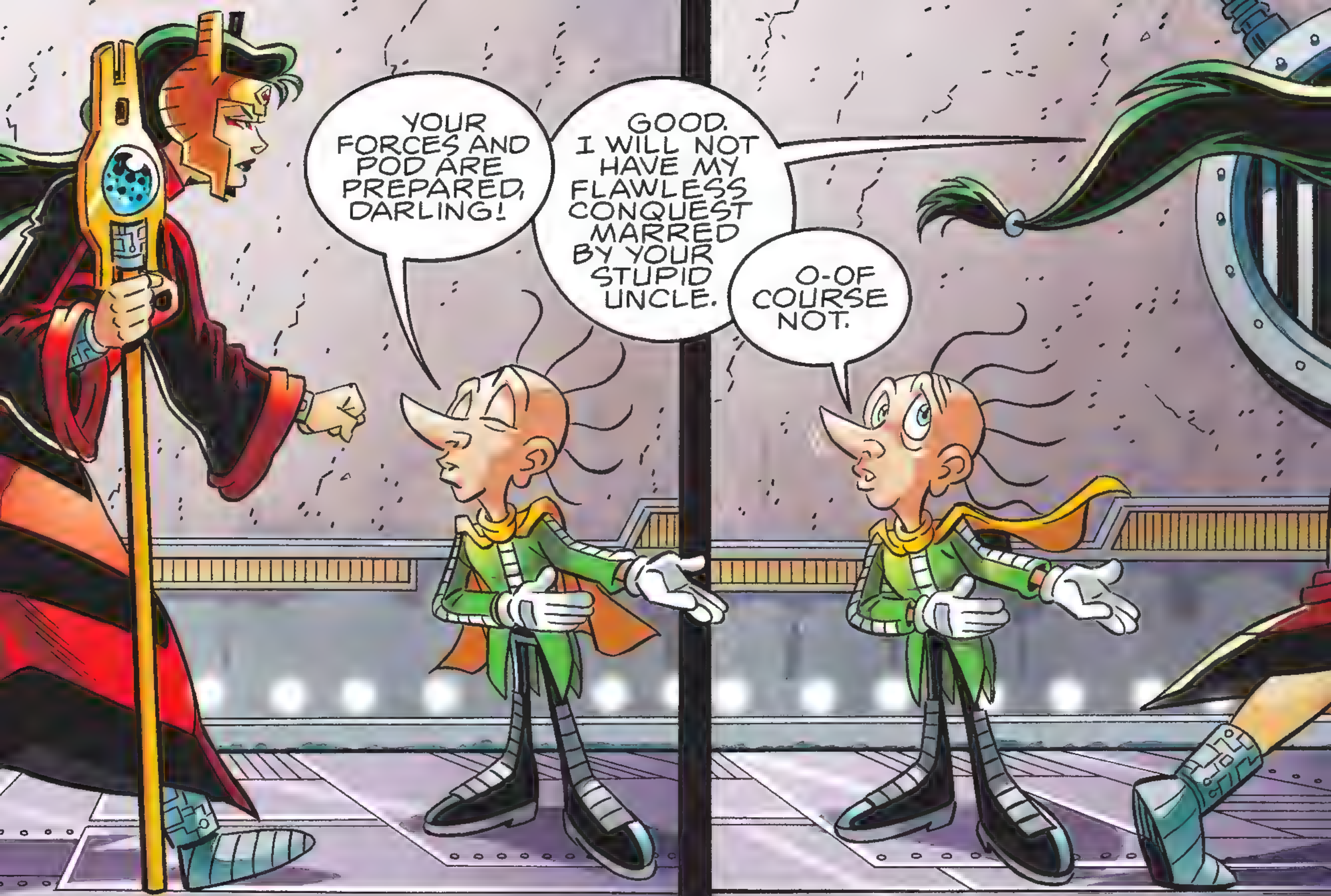
*SEE LAST
ISSUE.

WE'LL HAVE
TO WORRY
ABOUT THIS
SO-CALLED
"MASTER
EMERALD"
LATER.

I WON'T TAKE
ANY CHANCES.
RETURN TO
THE DRAGON
KINGDOM
AND MAKE
SURE THE
OTHER
HOUSES
STAY IN
LINE!

IT WILL BE MY
PLEASURE...

...YOUR
MAJESTY.



YOUR FORCES AND POD ARE PREPARED, DARLING!

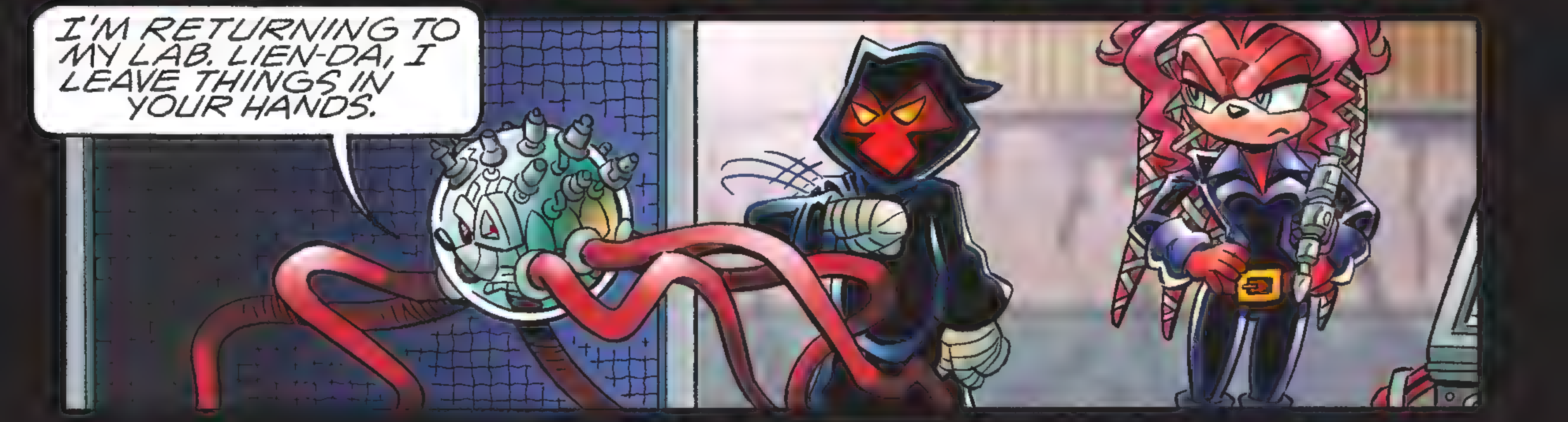
GOOD. I WILL NOT HAVE MY FLAWLESS CONQUEST MARRIED BY YOUR STUPID UNCLE.

O-OF COURSE NOT.



YOU'RE IN CHARGE OF DEFENSES WHILE WE'RE GONE, GRAND-MASTER.

YOU CAN COUNT ON THE LEGION.



I'M RETURNING TO MY LAB, LIEN-DA, I LEAVE THINGS IN YOUR HANDS.



STICK ME WITH BABYSITTING? PEH, I'LL BE IN MY BUNK.

OUTSIDE THE GREAT FOREST.

OH, NO! HE'S BACK?!

SONIC!

HEY, TAILS! COME TO CHECK UP ON ME?

YEAH, AND THE SOURCE OF NICOLE'S SIGNAL...

WHAT AM I SAYING?

SONIC!

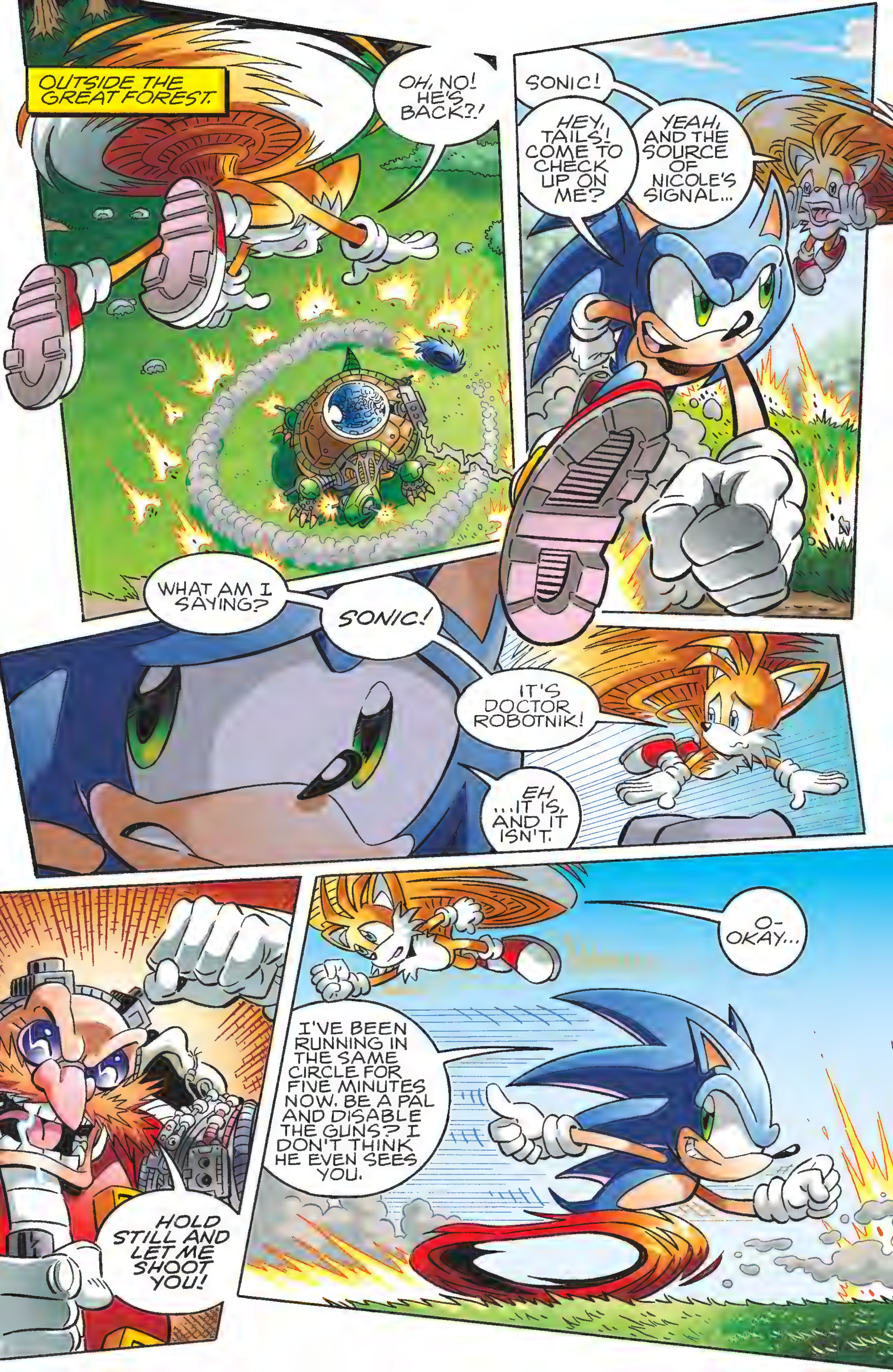
IT'S DOCTOR ROBOTNIK!

EH ...IT IS, AND IT ISN'T.

O-O-KAY...

I'VE BEEN RUNNING IN THE SAME CIRCLE FOR FIVE MINUTES NOW. BE A PAL AND DISABLE THE GUNS? I DON'T THINK HE EVEN SEES YOU.

HOLD STILL AND LET ME SHOOT YOU!

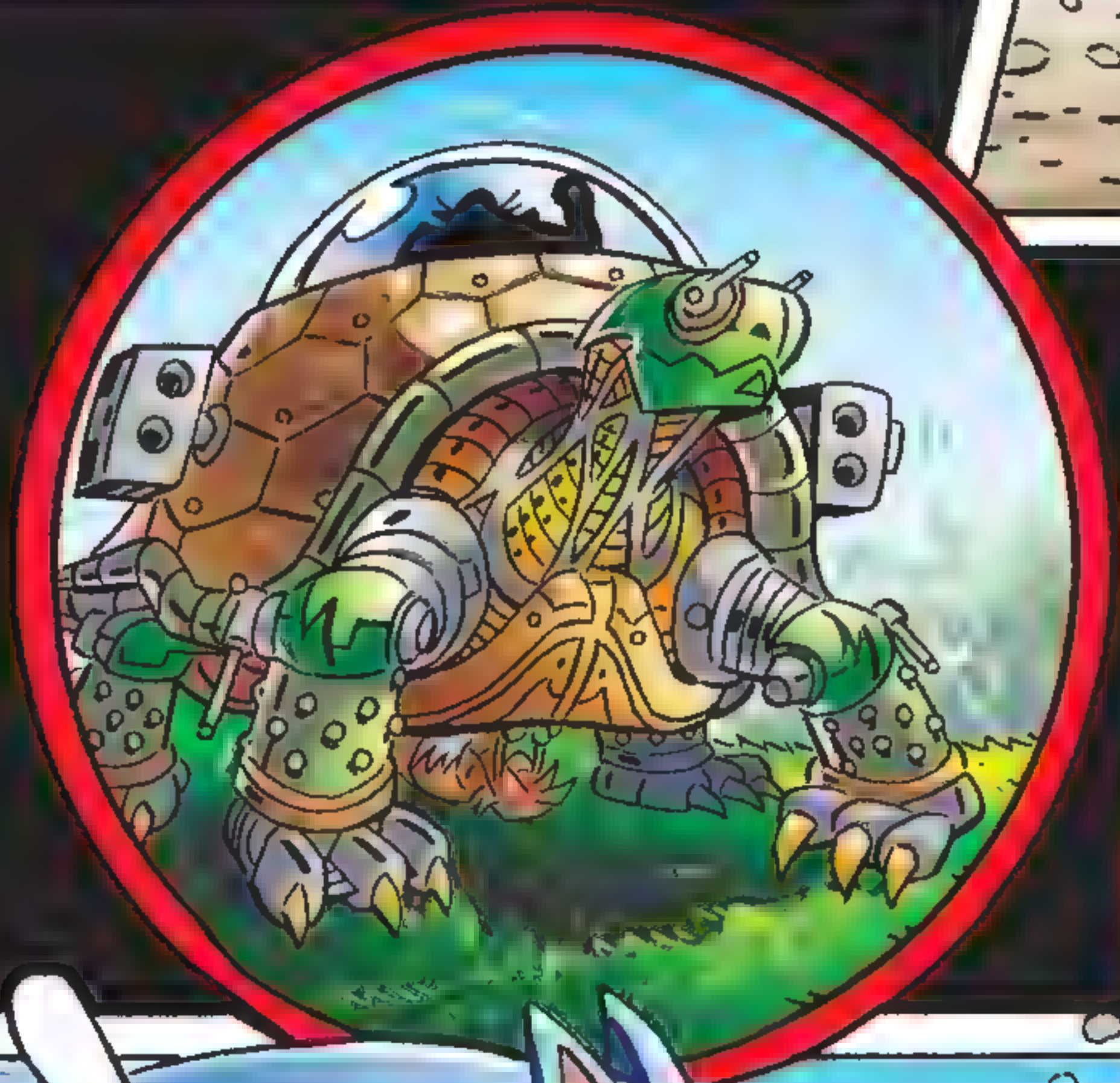
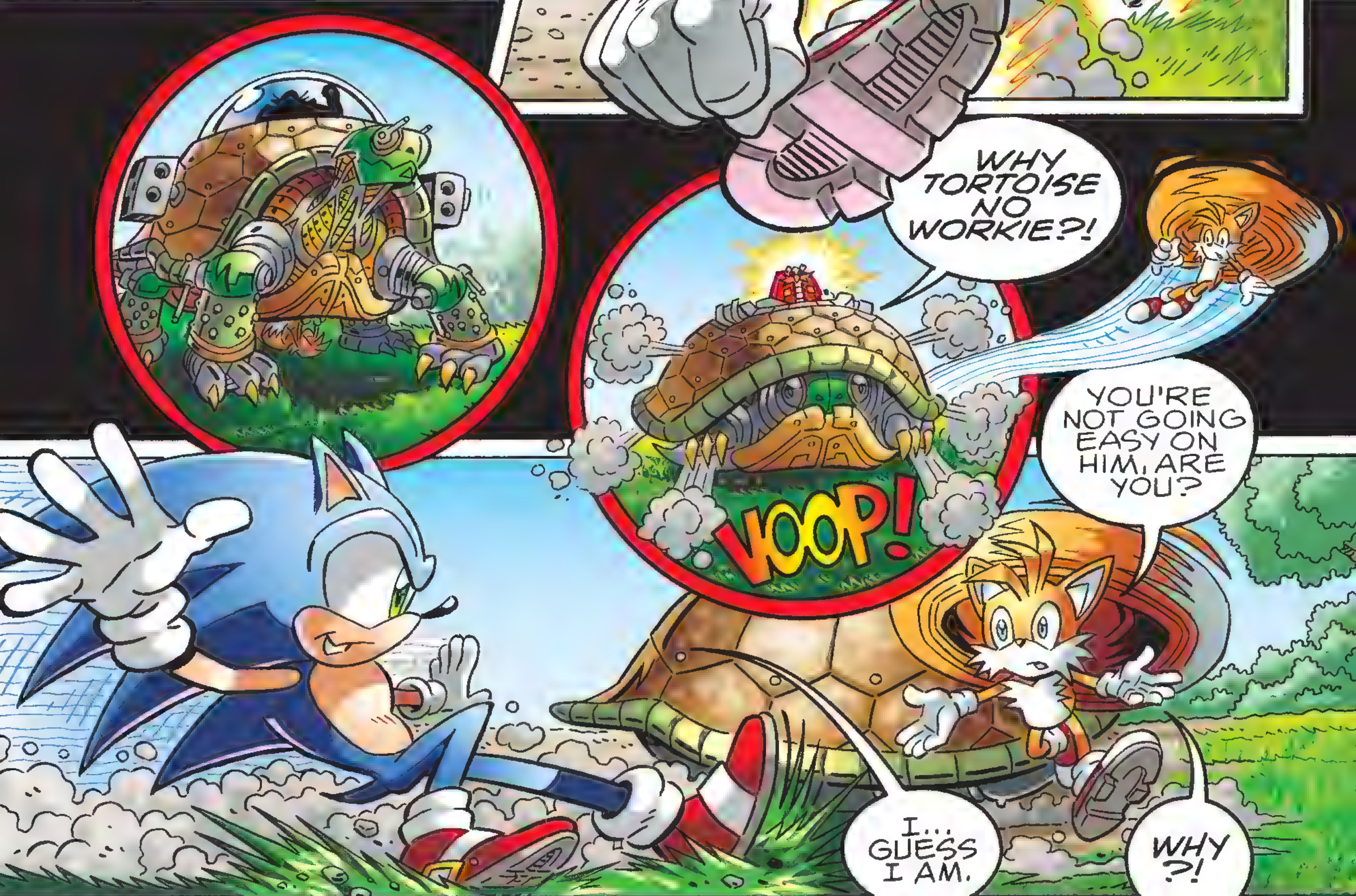




ACTUALLY, IT LOOKS LIKE I CAN SHUT THE WHOLE THING DOWN FROM HERE.

PERFECT!
THIS ONE DOESN'T SEEM THAT TOUGH. YOU COULD'VE TRASHED IT, NO PROBLEM.

YEAH, I SUPPOSE...

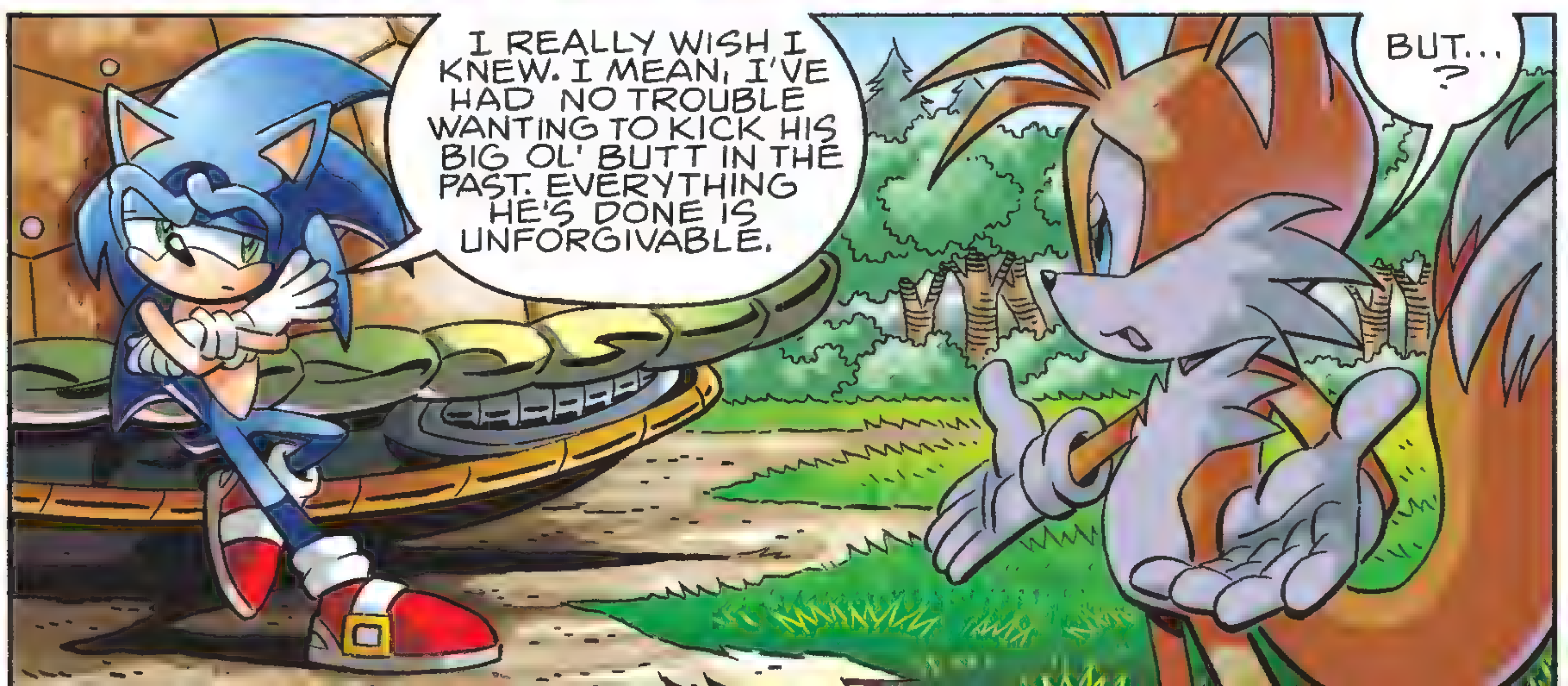


WHY TORTOISE NO WORKIE?!

YOU'RE NOT GOING EASY ON HIM, ARE YOU?

I... GUESS I AM.

WHY?!



I REALLY WISH I KNEW. I MEAN, I'VE HAD NO TROUBLE WANTING TO KICK HIS BIG OL' BUTT IN THE PAST. EVERYTHING HE'S DONE IS UNFORGIVABLE.

BUT...?



BUT THIS IS DIFFERENT SOMEHOW. I DIDN'T JUST BEAT HIM LAST TIME, I BROKE HIM.* AND AS STUPID AS IT SOUNDS, THAT MAKES ME FEEL BAD.

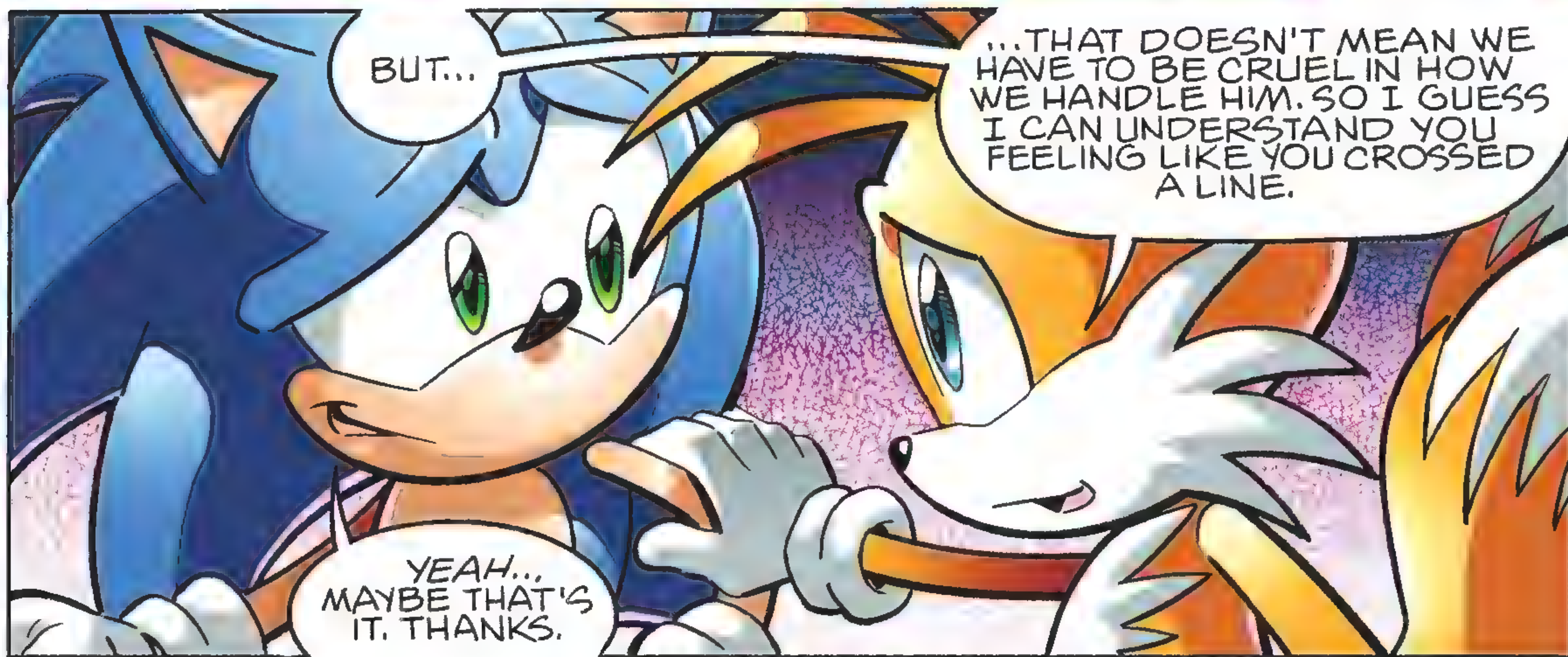
...PLEASE TELL ME I'M MAKING SOME SENSE?

*YOU DIDN'T MISS THE EPIC 5TH #200, DID YOU?!



NONE THAT I CAN FOLLOW. I DON'T THINK HE DESERVES ANY SYMPATHY AT ALL.

...HELLO? IS ANYONE STILL THERE?



BUT...

...THAT DOESN'T MEAN WE HAVE TO BE CRUEL IN HOW WE HANDLE HIM. SO I GUESS I CAN UNDERSTAND YOU FEELING LIKE YOU CROSSED A LINE.

YEAH... MAYBE THAT'S IT. THANKS.

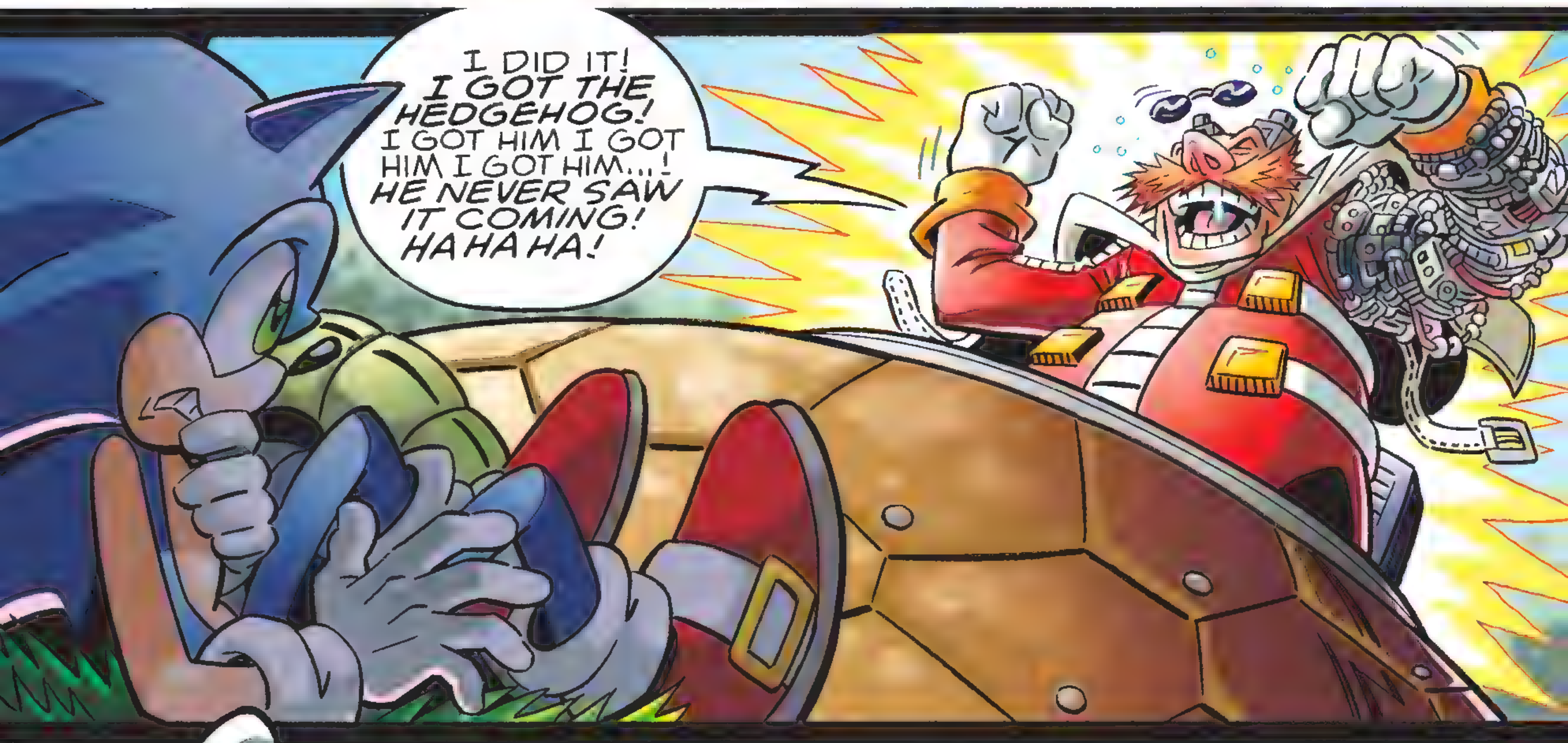


SO THE CIVIL THING TO DO NOW IS ARREST HIM. LEAVING HIM LOCKED UP WITH THE IRON GOONS WOULD BE CRUEL.

I SUPPOSE-- BUT BE CAREFUL! HE MAY HAVE LOST HIS MIND, BUT HE'S STILL DANGEROUS!



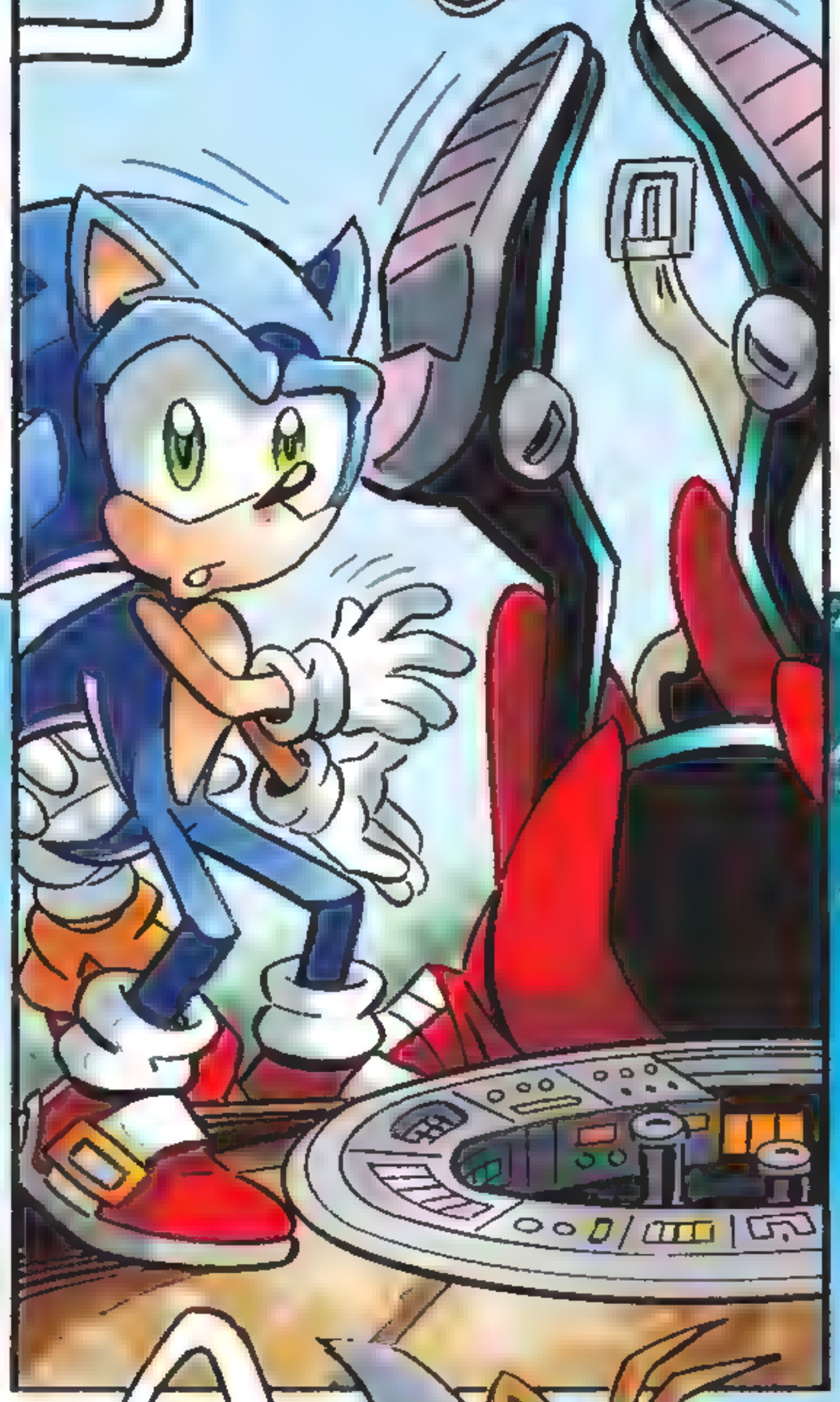
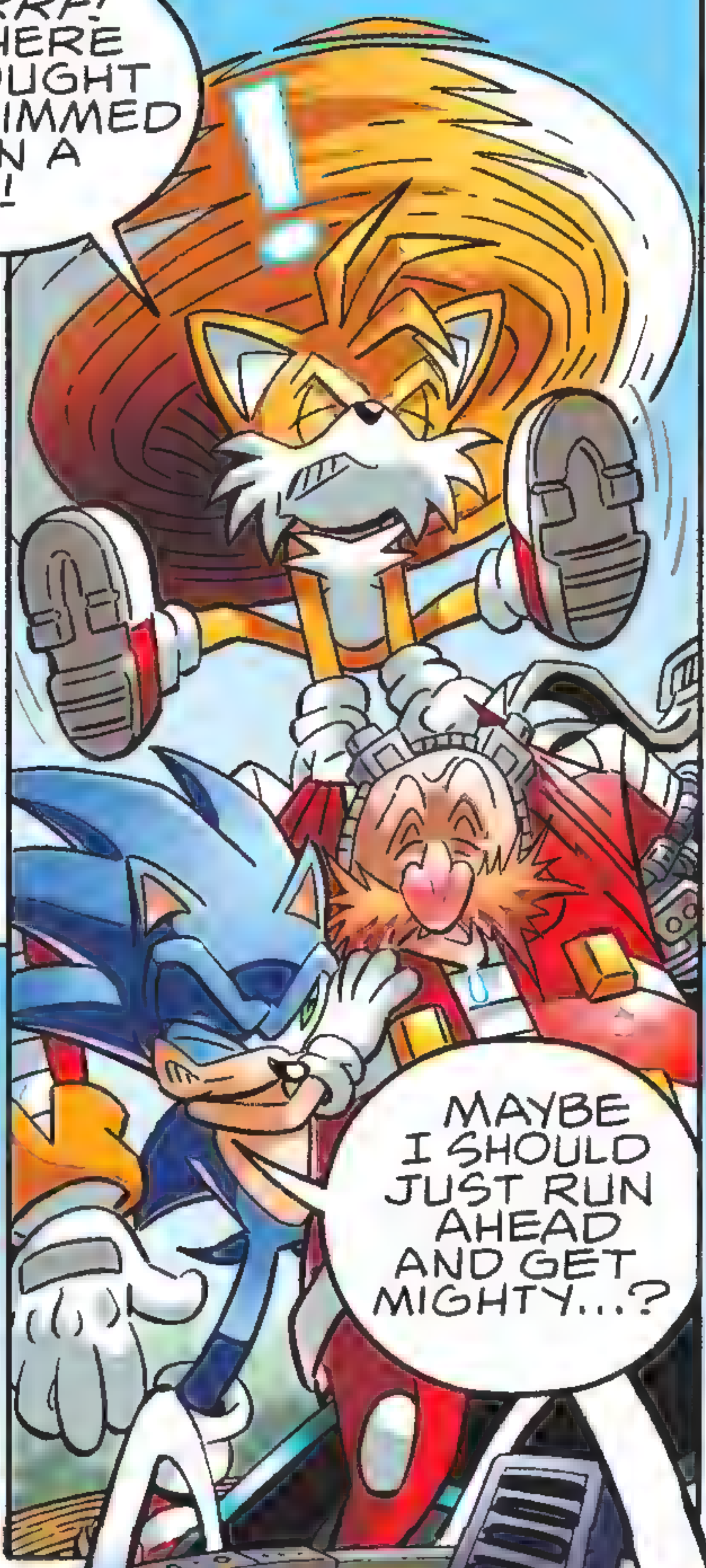
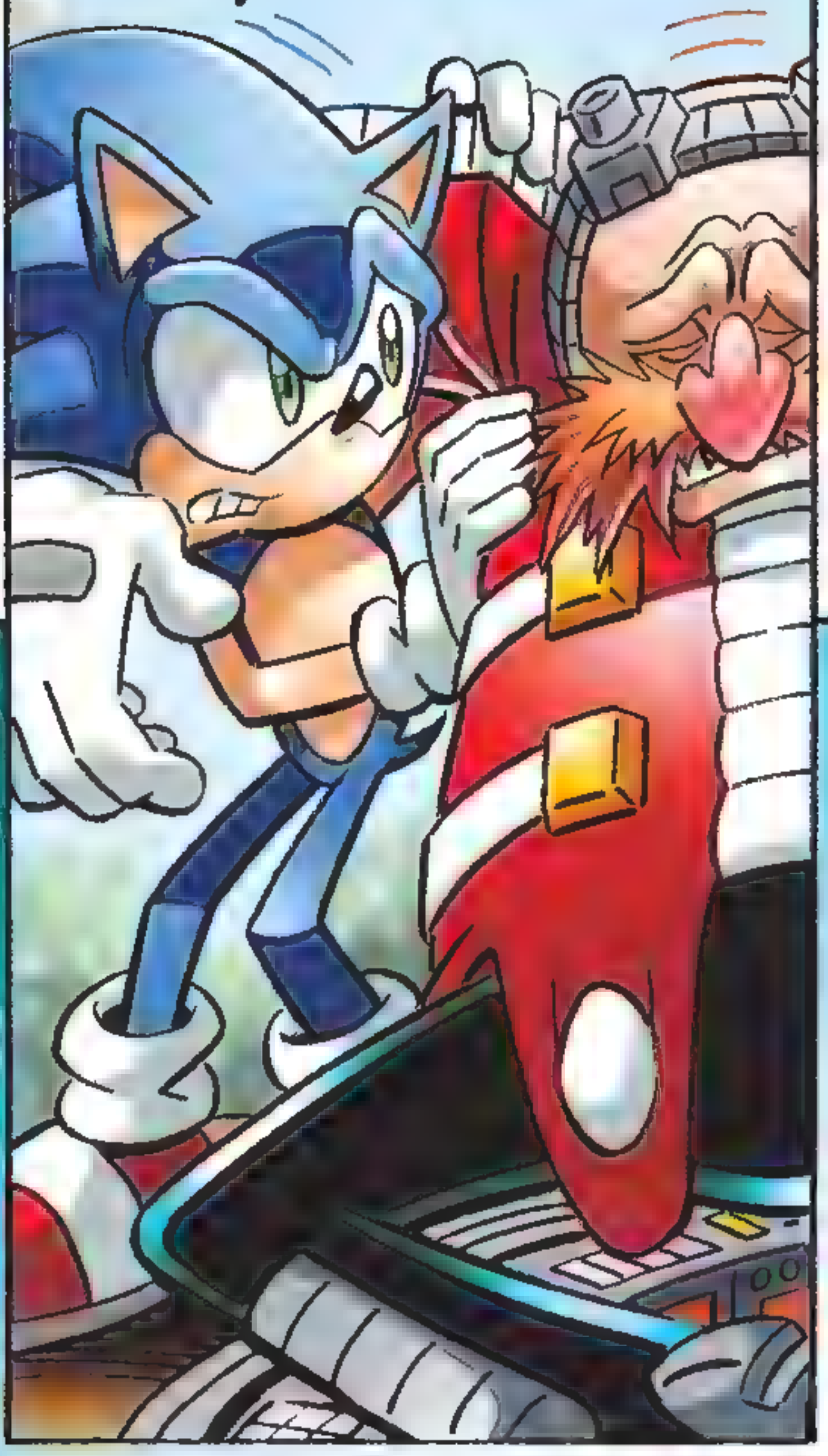
YEAH. DANGEROUS.



GNPFI!
OKAY, TAILS?
I THINK I'M
GONNA NEED
A HAND WITH
HIM.

NRRF!
AND HERE
I THOUGHT
HE'D SLIMMED
DOWN A
BIT!

...OR YOU
COULD
SIMPLY
HAND HIM
OVER TO US,
AND SUR-
RENDER
WHILE
YOU'RE
AT IT.



MAYBE
I SHOULD
JUST RUN
AHEAD
AND GET
MIGHTY...?

GET
ROBOTNIK
BACK TO
THE CITY.

I CAN'T
JUST LEAVE
YOU HERE
WITH THEM!

RELAX,
LITTLE
BRO'!





YOU'VE GOT THE HARD JOB!



WHO
WILL WIN THE RIGHT TO
ROBOTNIK?
SONIC? OR THE
OVERWHELMING
DOMINION?
FIND OUT IN
SONIC THE HEDGEHOG
ISSUE 206
NEXT MONTH!



Birthright Part One

EGG DOME, NEW MEGAOPOLIS DARK EGG LEGION BARRACKS.



THIS ISN'T RIGHT. I AM KOMMISSAR. I SHOULDN'T BE BEDDING DOWN WITH THE REGULAR TROOPS. I SHOULDN'T BE JUST "KOMMISSAR," EITHER. I SHOULD BE GRAND-MASTER.

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I'M LONG OVERDUE.

I SAY IT'S TIME WE SEIZED OUR BIRTHRIGHT, DON'T YOU?

THE TWILIGHT ZONE, AKA THE TWILIGHT CAGE, MANY YEARS AGO.

WE'RE LONG OVERDUE, ACCORDING TO MORITORI.

YES, WELL, AMBITIOUS AS HE IS, I THINK HIS TIME OUTSIDE HAS MADE HIM FORGET OUR SITUATION HERE.

ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE FINE GOING THROUGH WITH THIS?

...I WAS KOM-MISSAR UNDER GRANDMASTER LUGER...

IT WAS A SIMPLER TIME THEN. WE WERE PRISONERS IN THE TWILIGHT ZONE...

I TOOK CARE OF "MOTHER," DIDN'T I?

YES, BUT THIS IS OUR BIOLOGICAL FATHER.

...AND I STILL TRUSTED MY BROTHER COMPLETELY. I KNEW HE WAS DANGEROUS...

PLEASE, MORITORI HAS BEEN THE TRUE FATHER TO US.

AGREED. THEN HERE'S TO THE FIRST JOINT-GRAND-MASTERS OF THE DARK LEGION.

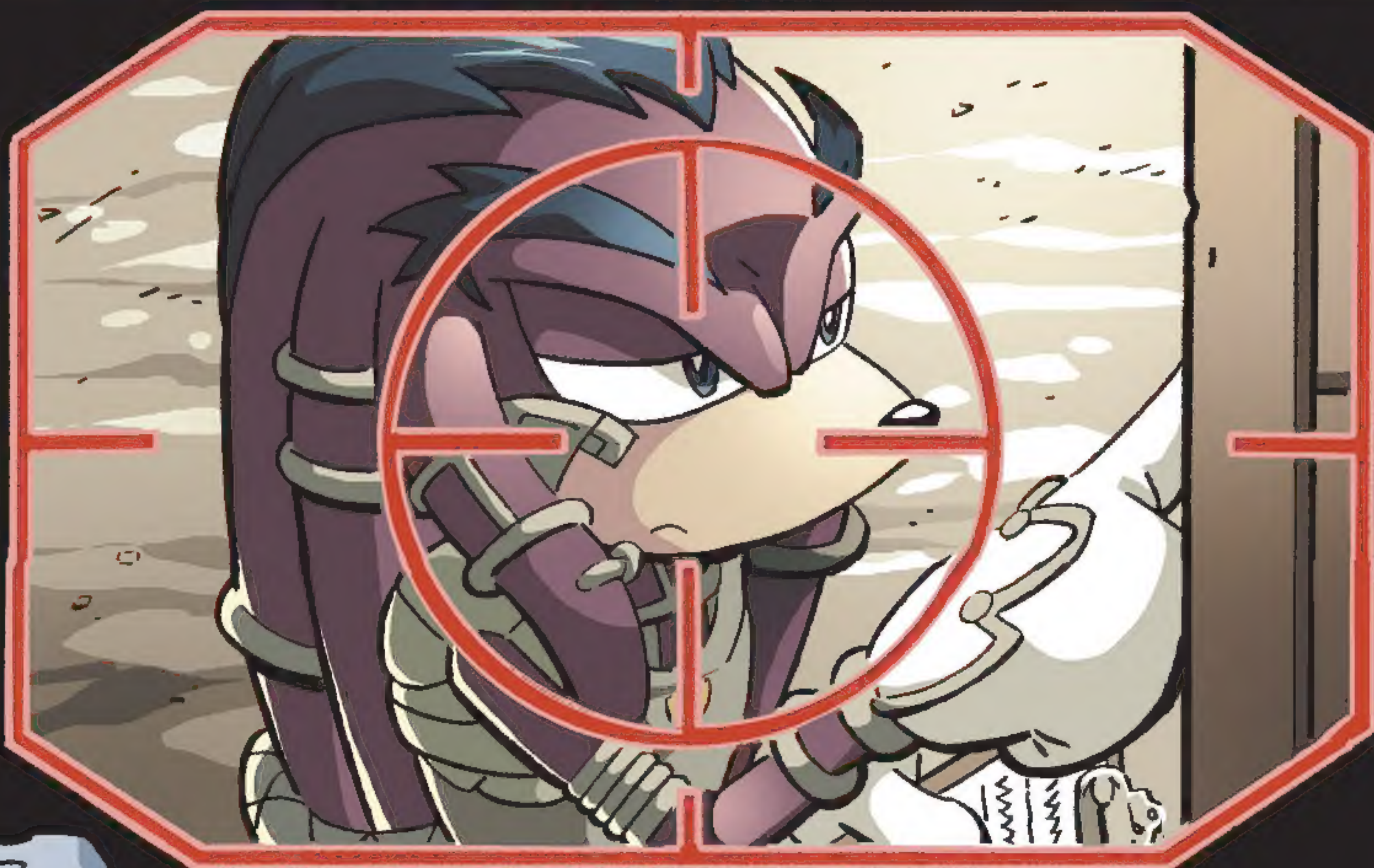
...BUT I DIDN'T GIVE HIM ENOUGH CREDIT FOR HIS CUNNING.

THE WEAPON I MADE FOR YOU IS HIGH-POWERED AND EXPERIMENTAL, SO YOU ONLY GET ONE SHOT.

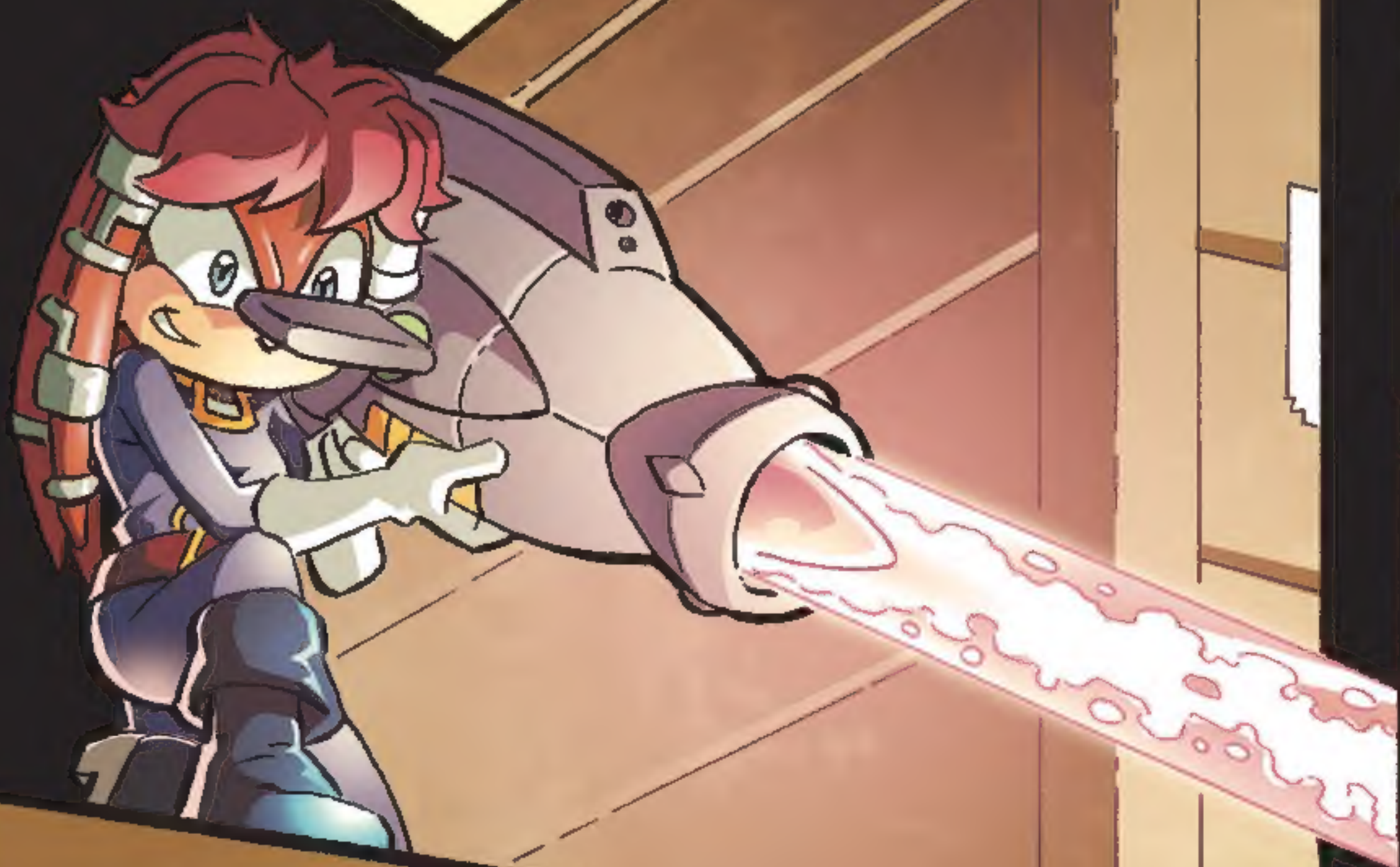


I ONLY NEED ONE.

I'VE DESIGNED THIS DEVICE TO ATOMIZE ITS TARGET. AT BEST, HE'LL APPEAR TO VANISH WITHOUT A TRACE.

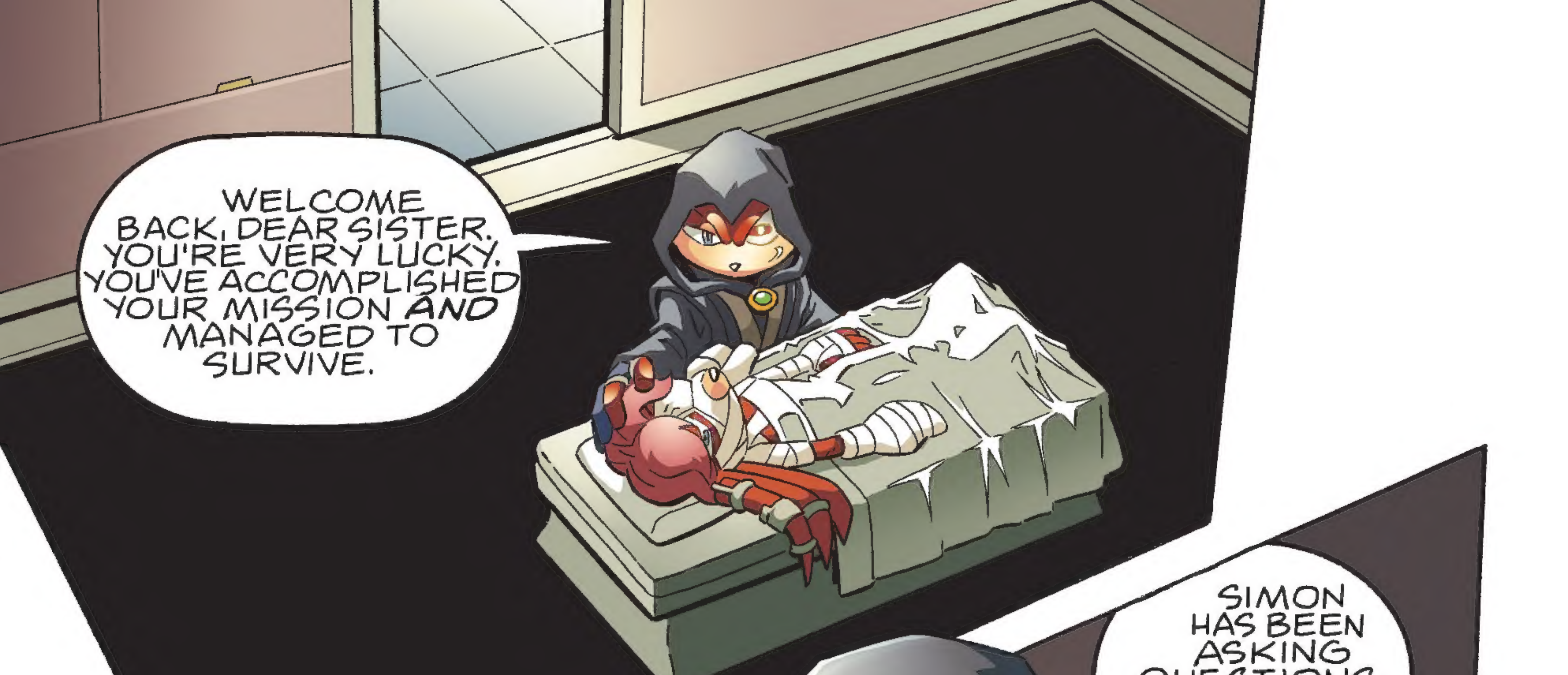


AT WORST, IT'LL APPEAR TO BE SOME KIND OF ZOAH ATTACK. WE'LL BE IN THE CLEAR. OH, AND DO BE CAREFUL...




...IT MAY PROVE TO BE UNSTABLE.






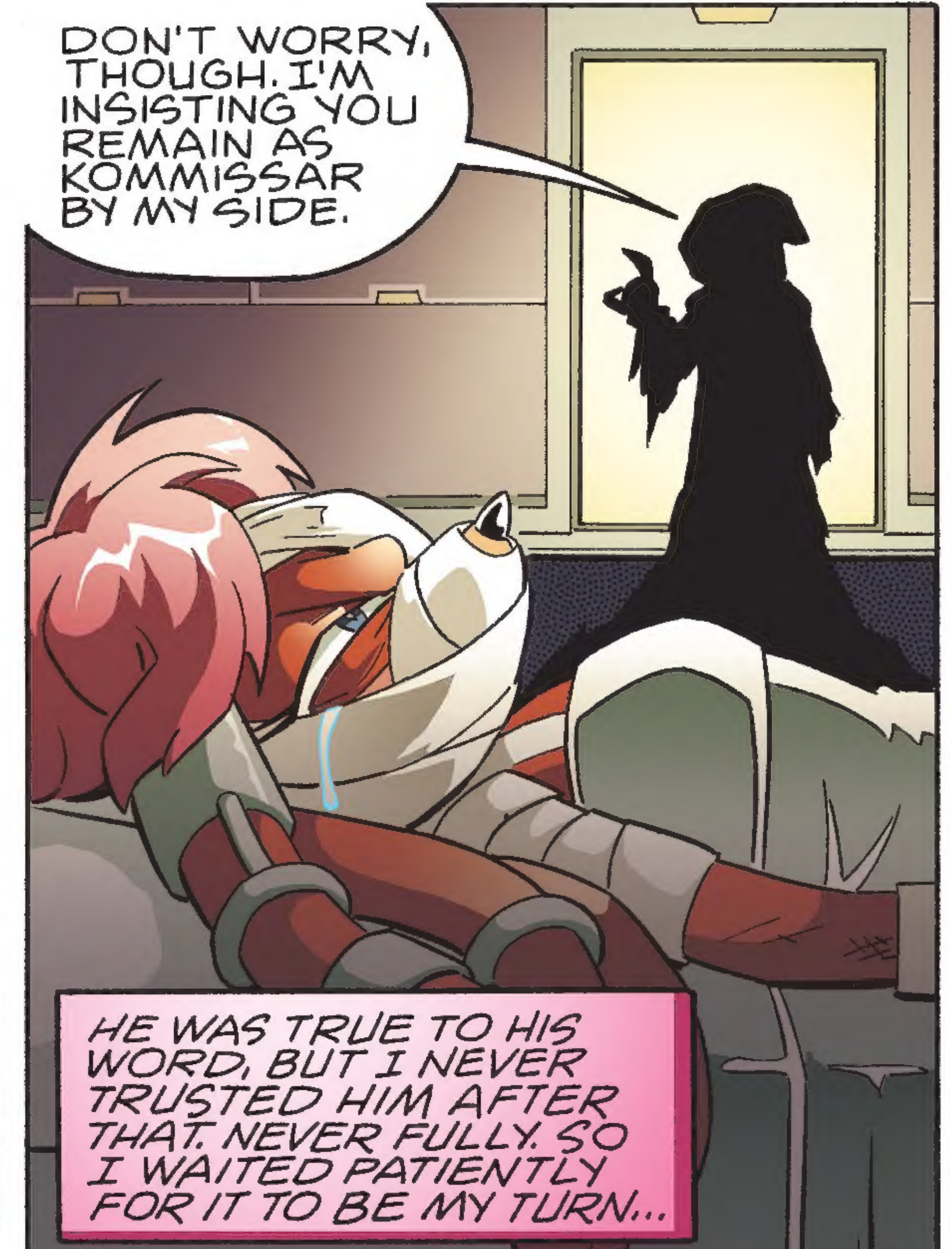
WELCOME BACK, DEAR SISTER. YOU'RE VERY LUCKY. YOU'VE ACCOMPLISHED YOUR MISSION AND MANAGED TO SURVIVE.



SIMON HAS BEEN ASKING QUESTIONS, OF COURSE, BUT I CAN HANDLE HIM. JUST ONE PIECE OF BAD NEWS, I'M AFRAID.

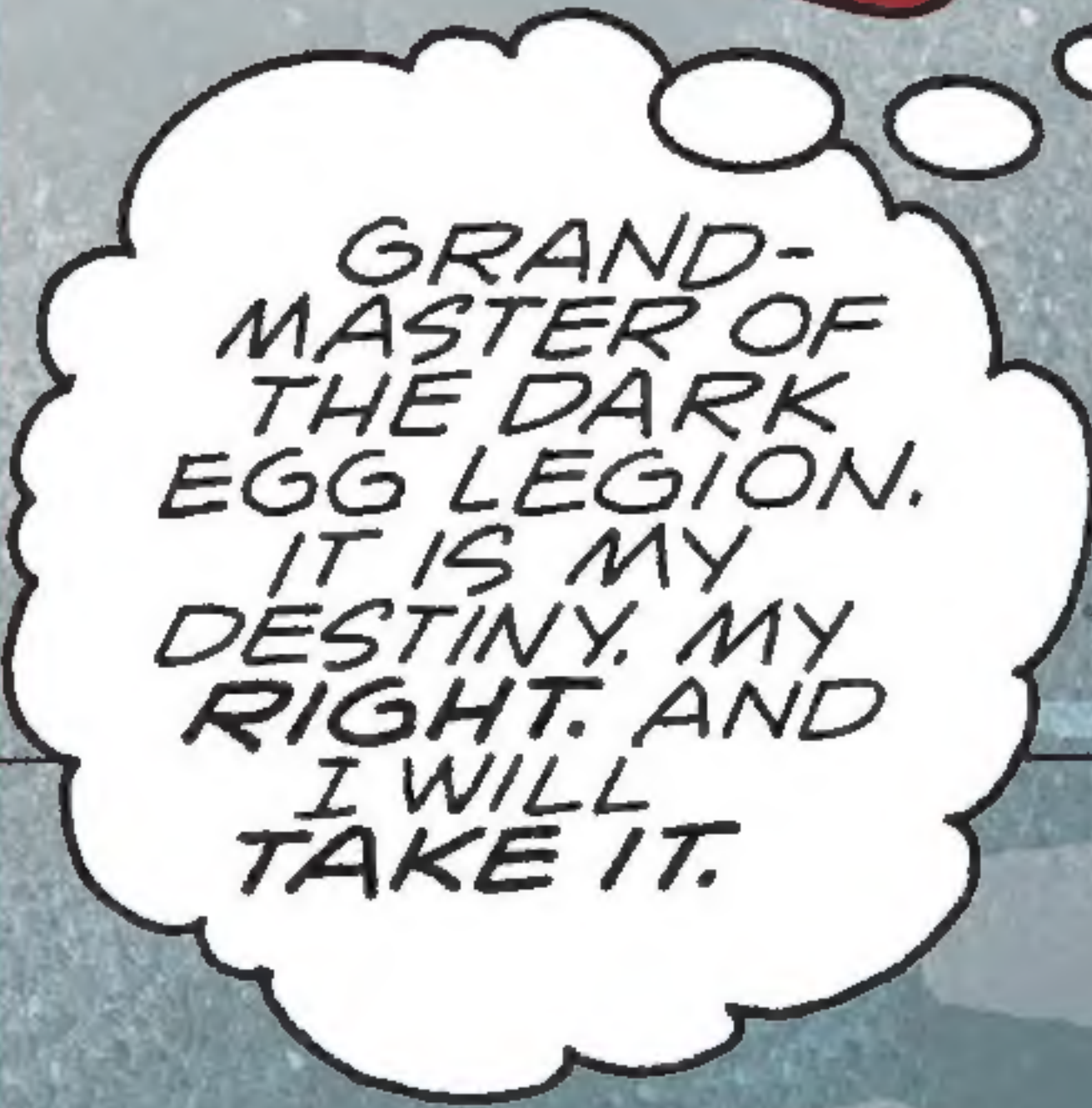
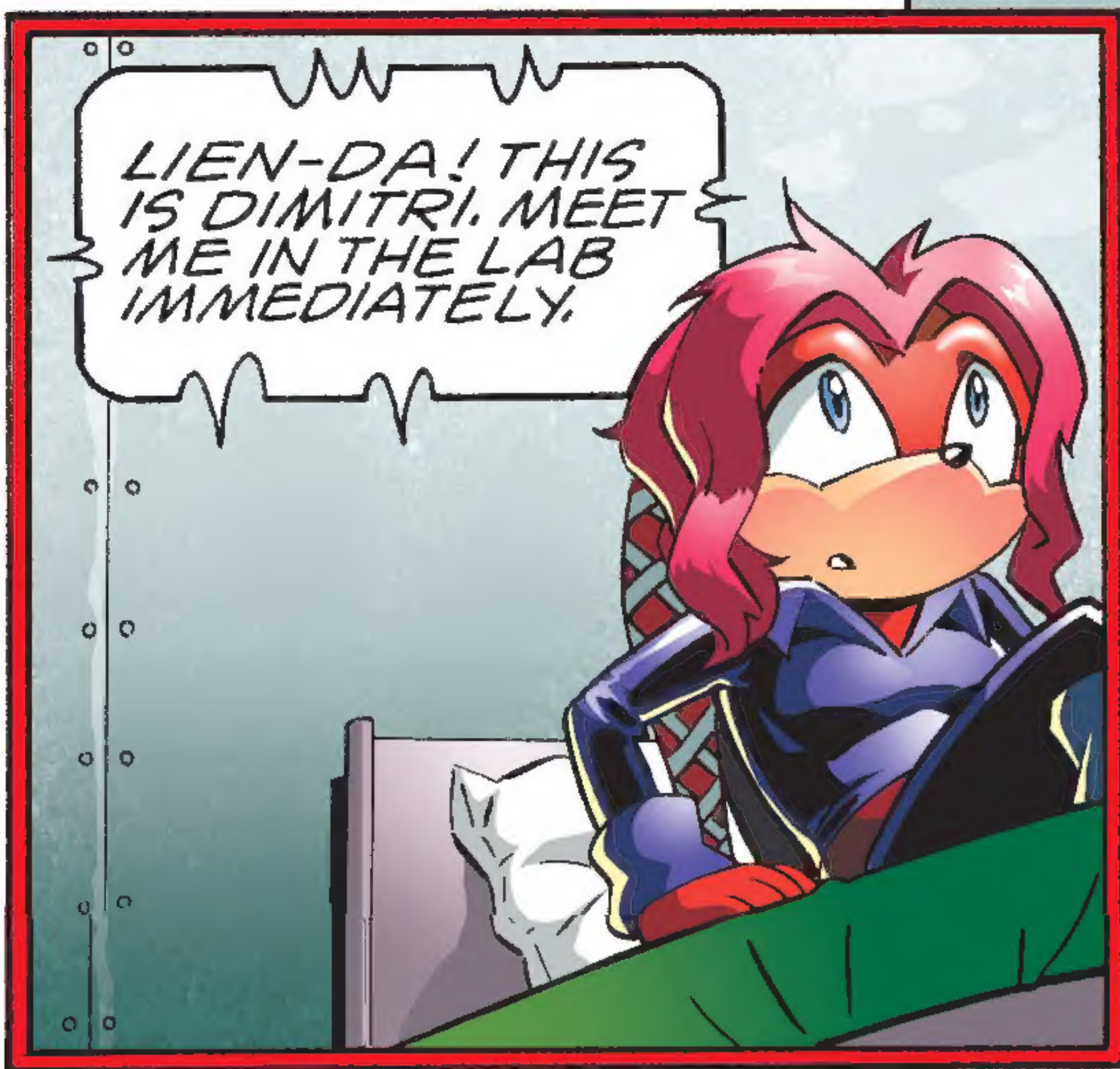
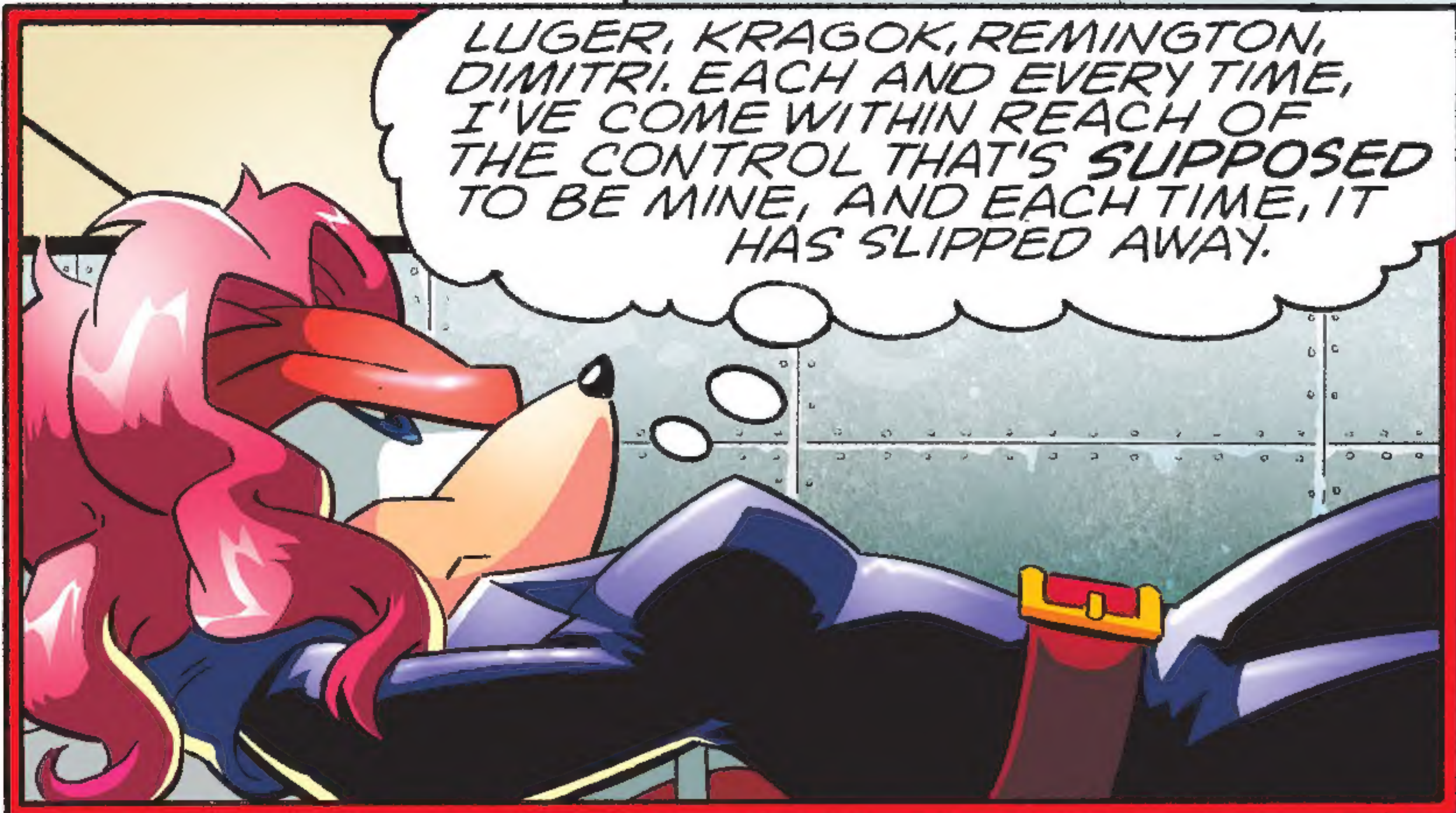


YOU'VE BEEN OUT FOR A WHILE, AND WITH LUGER NOW GONE, THERE WAS A NEED FOR LEADERSHIP. I HAD TO STEP UP AS THE SOLE GRANDMASTER WHILE YOU HEALED. TO PROMOTE YOU NOW WOULD BE NEEDLESSLY CONFUSING, DON'T YOU THINK?



DON'T WORRY, THOUGH. I'M INSISTING YOU REMAIN AS KOMMISSAR BY MY SIDE.

HE WAS TRUE TO HIS WORD, BUT I NEVER TRUSTED HIM AFTER THAT. NEVER FULLY. SO I WAITED PATIENTLY FOR IT TO BE MY TURN...



THIS DOESN'T BODE WELL!
Come back for the Startling Conclusion NEXT MONTH!